

APPENDIX.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills as follows:

Revenue and Taxation—Senate bill No. 291.

Judiciary—Senate bills Nos. 63, 181.

School Districts—House bills Nos. 588, 643, 649.

The following committee has filed unfavorable reports on bills as follows:

State Affairs—House bills Nos. 558, 414, 297.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 1, 1923.

Hon. R. E. Seagler, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 3, Providing for compiling and printing Legislative Manual of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, and printing copies of the Constitution of Texas,

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled, and have this day, at 11:05 o'clock a. m., presented same to the Governor for his approval.

HENDRICKS, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 1, 1923.

Hon. R. E. Seagler, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 308, "An Act to prevent the selling of bass, perch, or crappie, or catfish, taken from the fresh waters in the counties of Comal, Guadalupe, Bexar, Kerr, Bandera and Real, State of Texas; making it unlawful to use any dynamite or other explosives in the killing or catching of any fish in the fresh waters of said counties and providing a penalty for the violation thereof; prohibiting the use of any seine, drag net, trammel net or other net other than a minnow seine, which shall not be more than ten feet in length and the meshes of which shall not be smaller than one-fourth inch; providing for a closed season; prescribing the size of fish that may be taken; limiting the number of bass to be taken in any one day; providing that the district judge

of the judicial district in which the counties of Comal, Guadalupe, Bexar, Kerr, Bandera and Real are situated shall give a special charge upon this law to the grand juries of the counties of Comal, Guadalupe, Bexar, Kerr, Bandera and Real; providing a penalty for the violation hereof, and declaring an emergency."

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled, and have this day at 11:05 o'clock a. m., presented same to the Governor for his approval.

HENDRICKS, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 1, 1923.

Hon. R. E. Seagler, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 350, "An Act to create the Granbury Independent School District in Hood county, Texas, including the present Granbury district of said county; providing for a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district and board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the present Granbury district shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected in accordance with the general laws of Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled, and have this day, at 11:05 o'clock a. m., presented same to the Governor for his approval.

HENDRICKS, Chairman.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

(Thursday, March 1, 1923.)

The House met at 4:12 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Seagler.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Abney.	Beasley.
Amsler.	Bell.
Arnold.	Bird.
Atkinson.	Bobbitt.
Avis.	Bonham.
Baker of Milam.	Brady.
Baker of Orange.	Bryant.
Barker.	Burmeister.
Barrett.	Cable.

Carpenter of Matagorda.	Mathes.
Carson.	Maxwell.
Carter of Coke.	Melson.
Carter of Hays.	Merriman.
Coffee.	Merritt.
Collins.	Miller.
Covey.	Montgomery.
Cowen.	Moore.
Crawford.	Morgan
Culp.	of Liberty.
Davenport.	Morgan
Davis.	of Robertson.
DeBerry.	Pate.
Dielmann.	Patman.
Dodd.	Patterson.
Downs.	Perdue.
Driggers.	Pinkston.
Duffey.	Pool.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Dunn.	Potter.
Durham.	Price.
Edwards.	Purl.
Faubion.	Quaid.
Fields.	Quinn.
Finlay.	Rice.
Green.	Robinson.
Greer.	Rogers.
Hardin of Erath.	Rountree.
Hardin	Rowland.
of Kaufman.	Russell of Trinity.
Harrington.	Russell
Harris.	of Callahan.
Henderson	Sackett.
of Marion.	Sanford.
Henderson	Satterwhite.
of McLennan.	Shearer.
Hendricks.	Shires.
Houston.	Simpson.
Howeth.	Smith.
Hughes.	Sparkman.
Hull.	Stevens.
Irwin.	Stewart
Jacks.	of Edwards.
Jennings.	Stewart of Jasper.
Johnson.	Stewart of Reeves.
Jones.	Storey.
Kemble.	Stroder.
Lackey.	Sweet.
Laird.	Teer.
Lamb.	Thompson.
Lane.	Thrasher.
LeMaster.	Turner.
Lewis.	Vaughan.
Loftin.	Wallace.
Looney.	Wells.
McBride.	Westbrook.
McDaniel.	Wessels.
McDonald.	Williamson.
McFarlane.	Wilmans.
McKean.	Wilson.
McNatt.	Winfree.
Martin.	Young.
	Absent.
Blount.	Gipson.
Fugler.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

A quorum was announced present.
Prayer was offered by Rev. J. C. Mitchell, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED.

The following members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Chitwood, for yesterday, today and remainder of week, on motion of Mr. Bell.

Mr. LeStourgeon, for today, on motion of Mr. Davenport.

Mr. Stell, for today, on motion of Mr. Wessels.

Mr. Carpenter of Dallas, for today and remainder of week, on motion of Mr. Irwin.

Mr. Baldwin, for today and remainder of week, on motion of Mr. Purl.

Mr. Dinkle, for Tuesday Wednesday, today and remainder of week, on motion of Mr. Beasley.

The following members were granted leaves of absence on account of sickness:

Mr. Frnka, for Tuesday, Wednesday today and remainder of week, on motion of Mr. Stewart of Reeves.

Mr. Carter of Hays, for Monday Tuesday, Wednesday and today, on motion of Mr. Potter.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, respectively first time, and referred to appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Miller:

H. B. No. 668, A bill to be entitled "An Act inhibiting any person teaching or performing his duties as teacher, instructor, professor, officer, president or superintendent in any public school in this State who is an atheist or who believes in a Supreme Being; requiring an oath to accomplish such end, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bryant:

H. B. No. 669, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal an act, Special Laws Thirty-fourth Legislature, First Session."

Session, passed as House bill No. 46, approved June 4, 1915, creating the Dumont Independent School District No. 1 in Cottle, Dickens, King and Motley counties."

Referred to Committee on School Districts.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following Senate bills were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

Senate bill No. 396, to the Committee on Public Lands and Buildings.

Senate bill No. 391, to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

RELATING TO NEAR EAST RELIEF.

Mr. Satterwhite offered the following resolution:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That we commend the efforts of the sympathetic and patriotic people of Texas, who are responding to the call of the distressed and the afflicted peoples of the Near East who have been and are now suffering from the ravages of disease and the devastations of war, and we earnestly express the hope of Texas and of America that the people of the entire world, who are fortunate, will generously endeavor to alleviate the condition of those distressed and unfortunate people.

Signed—Satterwhite, Harrington.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

IN MEMORY OF JUDGE JAMES I. PERKINS.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 18, In memory of Hon. James I. Perkins.

Whereas, The State of Texas has been blessed by a long line of public servants of honor and ability; and

Whereas, Judge James I. Perkins, a former member of the Texas Senate, a former member of the Texas House of Representatives, and a former district judge in Texas, is listed among these notable Texans; and

Whereas, We have been advised of his death on February 25, 1923; now,

Therefore, the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring,

hereby expresses our appreciation of the life work and honor the memory of this distinguished citizen, and present this notable character and public servant to the citizenship of Texas as a worthy model for those who would seek the rights or perform the duties of a Texas citizen; and we direct that the Secretary of the Senate forward a copy of these resolutions to Mrs. James I. Perkins, surviving widow of the late Judge James I. Perkins, and Mr. B. B. Perkins, one of the surviving children of Judge Perkins, at Rusk, Texas.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted by a rising vote.

RELATING TO ILLITERACY OF TEXAS CHILDREN.

The Speaker laid before the House for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 20, Relating to illiteracy of Texas children.

Whereas, There is in Texas near three hundred thousand people above ten years of age who cannot read or write; and

Whereas, The ability to read and write is the first stepping stone to personal independence of the individual, both in his duties as a citizen and in the care of his personal affairs; and

Whereas, The illiteracy of the parents is the great and main cause of illiteracy among the children;

Therefore, we respectfully ask that the Extension Department of the University of Texas work out some plan to eliminate illiteracy in Texas and report to the called session of the Legislature some method of reaching this unfortunate situation; and to furnish all information on the Texas situation and some estimate as to the sum of money necessary to do the work during a reasonable term of years.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

PROVIDING FOR COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE PROPOSED NORMAL COLLEGE AT DECATUR.

The Speaker laid before the House for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 19, Providing for committee to investigate the proposed Normal College at Decatur.

Whereas, There is a great overflow of students at the North Texas State Nor-

mal College at Denton that must be turned away and that can not be handled at said institution; and

Whereas, Some provision must be made whereby such students may be accommodated with convenience; and

Whereas, The citizens of Decatur, Texas, are willing to make donation of property to the State said to be reasonably worth one hundred fifty thousand (\$150,000) dollars, to be used for a branch State Normal College in the event the State should see fit to establish such a branch college at Decatur, Texas, to take care of such overflow of students; and

Whereas, Representations have been made to the Legislature that in view of the offers that will be made the State will be able to establish an institution at Decatur at comparatively small cost to take care of the above mentioned situation; and

Whereas, The citizens of Decatur, Texas, have offered to pay all expenses of a committee to be appointed to visit said town; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Lieutenant Governor, as presiding officer of the Senate, appoint two senators, and that the Speaker of the House of Representatives appoint three members of the House, said senators and members of the House of Representatives to constitute a joint committee to visit Decatur and make an investigation of the matters and things mentioned in the preamble hereof with the view of ascertaining the feasibility, as well as the wisdom and advisability, of establishing such a branch Normal College at Decatur in view of the willingness of the citizens to make such donation to the State, and such committee to make its report to the Legislature with its recommendations.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Edwards, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Education.

RELATING TO HOUSE BILL NO. 85.

Mr. Stewart of Edwards moved to reconsider the vote by which House bill No. 85 failed to pass to engrossment, and asked to have the motion to reconsider spread on the Journal.

Mr. Harrington called up the motion to reconsider and moved to table the motion.

The motion to table prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,

Austin, Texas, March 1, 1923.

Hon. R. E. Seagler, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has refused to pass to third reading House bill No. 33 by the following vote: 10 yeas and 12 nays.

The Senate has passed

H. B. No. 309, A bill to be entitled "An Act constituting Bexar county the Thirty-seventh, Forty-fifth, Fifty-seventh, Seventy-third, and Ninety-fourth Judicial Districts; providing for the present judges of the Thirty-seventh, Forty-fifth, Fifty-seventh, and Seventy-third Judicial Districts to continue to hold their offices for the respective terms for which they were elected; the appointment of a suitable person by the Governor as judge of the Ninety-fourth Judicial district to hold until the next general election; prescribing the jurisdiction of said courts and providing for the election of judges thereof, and for the district attorney of the Thirty-seventh Judicial District to be the district attorney of all of said courts; and providing the terms of said courts, and providing for the empaneling of grand juries in the Thirty-seventh, Forty-fifth, and Ninety-fourth Judicial Districts, and providing that the said grand juries shall return all bills of indictment to the court in which said grand jury was empaneled; and providing that said Thirty-seventh, Forty-fifth, and Ninety-fourth Judicial District Courts shall give preference to the trial of criminal cases; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency," notwithstanding the veto of the Governor, by the following vote: 21 yeas and 7 nays.

The Senate has passed the following bills:

H. B. No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 7383 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1911, relating to the occupation taxes based upon gross receipts of individuals, companies, corporations and associations engaged in the business of producing oil from oil wells in the State, as amended by Chapter 77 of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas at its Regular Session; repealing Article 7383a as enacted by the Thirty-sixth Legislature, so that

hereafter said Article 7383 shall read as follows, and declaring an emergency," with amendments.

H. B. No. 234, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Springlake Independent School District in Lamb county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the trustees thereof; providing for the election of its first board of trustees and their successors; providing that certain territory taken away from the Sudan Independent School District in Lamb county, Texas, and placed within the Springlake Independent School District shall remain chargeable with its pro rata part of any bonded indebtedness heretofore voted in said Sudan Independent School District; and providing that the Springlake Independent School District as herein created may as a whole vote to assume such pro rata part of said bonds; providing for the appointment of a board of equalization and tax assessor and collector for said district, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 244, A bill to be entitled "An Act reorganizing the State of Texas into supreme judicial districts, for the purpose of constituting and organizing Courts of Civil Appeals therein; creating the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas, with Eastland as the site of said court; providing for the appointment and qualification of the judges of said Eleventh Supreme Judicial District, and other officers thereof; providing for the transfer of cases and regulating appeals from the lower courts of the counties constituting said Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 403, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating Midway Common School District No. 44 of Johnson county, Texas, as the same is described in the order of the county board of trustees of Johnson county, dated June 3, 1922; validating an election for school house and equipment bonds, in the sum of \$3000, held on July 3, 1922, together with all orders of the commissioners court of Johnson county, pursuant to said election and in respect to said bonds; also validating all levies of taxes made by the same commissioners court for the purpose of providing interest and sinking fund for said bonds; authorizing

the Attorney General to approve said bonds; defining the powers of the county school trustees of Johnson county in respect to said district, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,

RICHARD BLALOCK,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

(Mr. Pope in the chair.)

SENATE BILL NQ. 222 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 222, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing the Santa Cruz Independent School District in Nueces county, Texas, defining its boundaries, providing for the election and qualification of trustees therefor, and vesting said district with the rights, powers, duties and privileges of districts incorporated under general law for free school purposes, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 346 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 346, A bill to be entitled "An Act incorporating the Ennis Independent School District in Ellis county, Texas, for free school purposes only; defining its boundaries; providing for a treasurer for the funds of said district and providing for an assessor and collector of taxes of said district; divesting the city of Ennis of the control of its public school and the title to school property and vesting the same in the Ennis Independent School District and its board of trustees, and prescribing the rights, powers, privileges and duties of said Ennis Independent School District and its board of trustees and officers; authorizing the levying and collecting of taxes for said school purposes, and authorizing the right of eminent domain to condemn property for school purposes; authorizing the said independent school district to borrow money without the issuance of bonds; authorizing the said board to be vested with all authority that is vested in boards of trustees of independent school districts by the general laws of the

State of Texas and authorizing them to employ an attorney for the protection of property, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 355 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 355, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Palo Alto Independent School District out of a part of the Matamoros Common School District and the Bishop Independent School District in Nueces county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring on said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of the State upon independent school districts and the board of trustees thereof; providing for the election of trustees, raising of revenue, issuing of bonds, building and maintaining schools; providing for the payment by the Palo Alto Independent School District of the pro rata share of the bonded indebtedness of the Bishop Independent School District, and validating said obligation; providing for commissioners to fix the said pro rata share of said bonded indebtedness; repealing all laws in so far as they conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 340 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 340, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Nada County Line Common School District, composed of territory in Colorado and Wharton counties, to be under the jurisdiction of Colorado county for all school purposes; defining its boundaries; providing for the election of a board of trustees to manage and control the public schools in said district; providing that the local maintenance tax now levied in each portion of said district shall not be abrogated by the passage of this act; providing that same shall continue to be assessed, levied and collected until said

district holds an election to determine its rate of taxation, if any; providing that the portion of said district lying in Wharton county shall not be released by the passage of this act from the payment of its pro rata share of the bond tax now being levied, assessed and collected therein as a part of the Taiton Common School District No. 29 of Wharton county, but the same shall continue to be levied, assessed and collected from it until all bonds now outstanding against said Taiton district are fully paid off and discharged; provided that said Nada County Line Common School District shall be governed by the general laws of Texas relating to such districts, when not in conflict with this act; providing that the board of trustees now in authority in the Nada Common School District of Colorado county, Texas, shall continue in authority for the Nada County Line Common School District until the next election of school trustees as provided by law for such districts, when two of their successors shall be elected, and that an election be held each year, as provided by general laws of this State, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Wells, the bill was laid on the table subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 449 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 449, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act of the Thirty-first Legislature, First Called Session, Chapter 5, Special Laws, entitled 'An Act creating an independent school district to be known as the Goliad Independent School District, including within its limits the unincorporated town of Goliad in Goliad county, and to provide for a board of trustees and other officers of such district; to authorize the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect special taxes, and to issue and dispose of bonds of such district for the purpose of purchasing school sites, and erecting, repairing, furnishing and equipping school buildings within the same, and to pay current expenses in the maintenance and support of the public schools therein, and to further prescribe the duties and authority of said board of trustees, and declaring an emergency,' and by this amended act to provide for the assump-

tion by the Goliad Independent School District, as hereby created, of all outstanding indebtedness now existing against same, and to provide for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness against Common School District No. 2, Goliad county, and declaring an emergency; said act to be so amended as to hereafter read as follows."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107.

Mr. Speaker.	Hull.
Abney.	Irwin.
Amsler.	Jacks.
Arnold.	Jennings.
Atkinson.	Lackey.
Avis.	Laird.
Baker of Milam.	LeMaster.
Baker of Orange.	Lewis.
Barker.	Looney.
Barrett.	McBride.
Beasley.	McDaniel.
Bell.	McNatt.
Bird.	Martin.
Bobbitt.	Maxwell.
Bonham.	Melson.
Bryant.	Merriman.
Burmeister.	Merritt.
Cable.	Miller.
Carpenter	Montgomery.
of Matagorda.	Morgan
Carson.	of Liberty.
Carter of Coke.	Morgan
Carter of Hays.	of Robertson.
Collins.	Pate.
Covey.	Patman.
Cowen.	Patterson.
Crawford.	Perdue.
Davenport.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Potter.
Dielmann.	Price.
Dodd.	Purl.
Downs.	Quinn.
Driggers.	Rice.
Duffey.	Robinson.
Dunn.	Rogers.
Durham.	Rowland.
Faubion.	Russell
Fields.	of Callahan.
Green.	Russell of Trinity.
Greer.	Sackett.
Hardin of Erath.	Sanford.
Hardin	Satterwhite.
of Kaufman.	Shearer.
Harrington.	Shires.
Henderson	Simpson.
of Marion.	Sparkman.
Henderson	Stevens.
of McLennan.	Stewart
Hendricks.	of Edwards.
Houston.	Stewart of Jasper.
Howeth.	Stewart of Reeves.
Hughes.	Storey.

Stroder.	Westbrook.
Sweet.	Wessels.
Thompson.	Wilmons.
Turner.	Wilson.
Vaughan.	Winfree.
Wallace.	Young.
Wells.	

Nays—1.

Finlay.

Present—Not Voting.

McKean.

Absent.

Blount.	Lane.
Brady.	Loftin.
Coffee.	McDonald.
Culp.	McFarlane.
Davis.	Mathes.
Dunlap.	Moore.
Edwards.	Pinkston.
Fugler.	Pool.
Gipson.	Quaid.
Harris.	Rountree.
Johnson.	Smith.
Jones.	Teer.
Kemble.	Thrasher.
Lamb.	Williamson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 491 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 491, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing the Spanish Fort Independent School District in Montague county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; continuing in office the board of trustees as heretofore elected in said district until the expiration of their respective terms of office; vesting title in said board of trustees to all school property in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all of the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; providing for a seal, and for the selection of a secretary, treasurer and assessor and collector of taxes;

for a board of equalization, and prescribing its duties, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Abney.	Looney.
Arnold.	McBride.
Atkinson.	McDaniel.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Orange.	McNatt.
Barker.	Martin.
Barrett.	Mathes.
Beasley.	Maxwell.
Bell.	Melson.
Bird.	Merriman.
Bryant.	Merritt.
Burmeister.	Montgomery.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Liberty.
of Matagorda.	Morgan
Carson.	of Robertson.
Carter of Coke.	Pate.
Carter of Hays.	Patterson.
Collins.	Perdue.
Covey.	Pool.
Cowen.	Pope.
Crawford.	Potter.
Culp.	Purl.
Davenport.	Rice.
DeBerry.	Robinson.
Dielmann.	Rogers.
Dodd.	Rowland.
Downs.	Russell
Driggers.	of Callahan.
Duffey.	Russell of Trinity.
Dunn.	Sackett.
Durham.	Sanford.
Faubion.	Satterwhite.
Fields.	Shearer.
Green.	Shires.
Greer.	Simpson.
Hardin of Erath.	Sparkman.
Hardin	Stevens.
of Kaufman.	Stewart of Jasper.
Harrington.	Stewart of Reeves.
Henderson	Storey.
of Marion.	Stroder.
Henderson	Sweet.
of McLennan.	Thompson.
Houston.	Turner.
Howeth.	Vaughan.
Hughes.	Wallace.
Hull.	Wells.
Irwin.	Westbrook.
Jacks.	Wessels.
Jennings.	Williamson.
Jones.	Wilmans.
Laird.	Wilson.
LeMaster.	Winfree.
Lewis.	Young.

Absent.

Amsler.	Blount.
Baker of Milam.	Bobbitt.

Bonham.	Loftin.
Brady.	McFarlane.
Coffee.	McKean.
Davis.	Miller.
Dunlap.	Moore.
Edwards.	Patman.
Finlay.	Pinkston.
Fugler.	Price.
Gipson.	Quaid.
Harris.	Quinn.
Hendricks.	Rountree.
Johnson.	Smith.
Kemble.	Stewart
Lackey.	of Edwards.
Lamb.	Teer.
Lane.	Thrasher.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 495 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 495, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 7235, Chapter 6, Title 124, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1911, as amended by Chapter 72, General Laws of the Thirty-third Legislature, and Chapters 26 and 99, General Laws of the Thirty-fourth Legislature, and Chapter 131, General Laws of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, and Chapter 10 of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, and Chapter 13 of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, and Chapter 35 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and Chapter 105 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and Chapter 50 of the General Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and Chapter 32 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, with reference to the mode of preventing horses and certain other animals from running at large in the counties named, so as to include Leon county."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107.

Amsler.	Atkinson.
Arnold.	Avis.

Baker of Milam.	McDonald.
Baker of Orange.	McFarlane.
Barker.	McKean.
Beasley.	McNatt.
Bell.	Martin.
Bird.	Mathes.
Bobbitt.	Maxwell.
Bryant.	Melson.
Burmeister.	Merriman.
Cable.	Montgomery.
Carpenter	Morgan
of Matagorda.	of Liberty.
Carter of Coke.	Morgan
Carter of Hays.	of Robertson.
Collins.	Pate.
Cowen.	Patterson.
Crawford.	Perdue.
Culp.	Pool.
DeBerry.	Pope.
Dielmann.	Potter.
Dodd.	Price.
Downs.	Purl.
Driggers.	Quinn.
Duffey.	Rice.
Dunlap.	Robinson.
Dunn.	Rogers.
Durham.	Rowland.
Faubion.	Russell
Fields.	of Callahan.
Finlay.	Russell of Trinity.
Green.	Sackett.
Greer.	Sanford.
Hardin	Satterwhite.
of Kaufman.	Shearer.
Harrington.	Shires.
Henderson	Simpson.
of Marion.	Stevens.
Henderson	Stewart of Jasper.
of McLennan.	Stewart of Reeves.
Houston.	Storey.
Hughes.	Stroder.
Hull.	Sweet.
Irwin.	Teer.
Jacks.	Thompson.
Jennings.	Turner.
Johnson.	Vaughan.
Jones.	Wallace.
Lackey.	Wells.
Laird.	Westbrook.
Lane.	Wessels.
Lewis.	Williamson.
Loftin.	Wilmans.
Looney.	Wilson.
McBride.	Winfree.
McDaniel.	Young.

Nays—1.

LeMaster.

Absent.

Abney.	Coffee.
Barrett.	Covey.
Blount.	Davenport.
Bonham.	Davis.
Brady.	Edwards.
Carson.	Fugler.

Gipson.	Patman.
Hardin of Erath.	Pinkston.
Harris.	Quaid.
Hendricks.	Rountree.
Howeth.	Smith.
Kemble.	Sparkman.
Lamb.	Stewart
Merritt.	of Edwards.
Miller.	Thrasher.
Moore.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 502 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 502, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the commissioners courts of Hudspeth and Culberson counties, Texas, to make contracts not in excess of seventy-five dollars per month for services to be performed by the district attorney of the Thirty-fourth Judicial District of Texas."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Amsler.	Dunlap.
Arnold.	Dunn.
Atkinson.	Durham.
Avis.	Edwards.
Baker of Orange.	Faubion.
Barker.	Fields.
Barrett.	Finlay.
Beasley.	Green.
Bell.	Greer.
Bird.	Hardin of Erath.
Bobbitt.	Harrington.
Brady.	Henderson
Bryant.	of Marion.
Burmeister.	Henderson
Cable.	of McLennan.
Carpenter	Houston.
of Matagorda.	Hughes.
Carter of Coke.	Hull.
Carter of Hays.	Irwin.
Collins.	Jacks.
Covey.	Jones.
Cowen.	Lackey.
Davenport.	Laird.
DeBerry.	Lane.
Dielmann.	Lewis.
Dodd.	Loftin.
Downs.	Looney.
Driggers.	McBride.
Duffey.	McDaniel.

McDonald.	Russell of Trinity.
McFarlane.	Sackett.
McNatt.	Sanford.
Martin.	Satterwhite.
Maxwell.	Shearer.
Melson.	Shires.
Merriman.	Simpson.
Montgomery.	Sparkman.
Morgan	Stevens.
of Liberty.	Stewart of Jasper.
Morgan	Stewart of Reeves.
of Robertson.	Storey.
Pate.	Stroder.
Patterson.	Sweet.
Perdue.	Teer.
Pool.	Thompson.
Pope.	Turner.
Potter.	Vaughan.
Purl.	Wallace.
Quaid.	Wells.
Quinn.	Westbrook.
Rice.	Wilmans.
Robinson.	Winfree.
Rogers.	Young.
Rountree.	
Rowland.	
Russell	
of Callahan.	

Nays—2.

LeMaster. Wessels.

Absent.

Abney.	Johnson.
Baker of Milam.	Kemble.
Blount.	Lamb.
Bonham.	McKean.
Carson.	Mathes.
Coffee.	Merritt.
Crawford.	Miller.
Culp.	Moore.
Davis.	Patman.
Fugler.	Pinkston.
Gipson.	Price.
Hardin	Smith.
of Kaufman.	Stewart
Harris.	of Edwards.
Hendricks.	Thrasher.
Howeth.	Williamson.
Jennings.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 510 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 510, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to increase and fix the salary of the superintendent of public instruction of Dallas county, Texas; providing for office expenses; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Amsler.	Looney.
Arnold.	McBride.
Atkinson.	McDaniel.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Orange.	McFarlane.
Barker.	McKean.
Barrett.	McNatt.
Beasley.	Martin.
Bell.	Maxwell.
Bird.	Melson.
Bobbitt.	Merriman
Brady.	Merritt.
Bryant.	Montgomery.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Liberty.
of Matagorda.	Morgan
Carter of Coke.	of Robertson.
Carter of Hays.	Pate.
Collins.	Patterson.
Covey.	Perdue.
Cowen.	Pool.
Crawford.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Potter.
Dielmann.	Price.
Dodd.	Purl.
Downs.	Quinn.
Driggers.	Rice.
Duffey.	Robinson.
Dunlap.	Rogers.
Dunn.	Rowland.
Durham.	Russell
Edwards.	of Callahan.
Faubion.	Russell of Trinity.
Fields.	Sackett.
Finlay.	Sanford.
Gipson.	Satterwhite.
Green.	Shearer.
Greer.	Shires.
Hardin	Simpson.
of Kaufman.	Stewart
Harrington.	of Edwards.
Henderson	Stewart of Jasper.
of Marion.	Stewart of Reeves.
Henderson	Storey.
of McLennan.	Stroder.
Houston.	Sweet.
Hughes.	Teer.
Hull.	Thompson.
Irwin.	Turner.
Jacks.	Vaughan.
Lackey.	Wells.
LeMaster.	Westbrook.
Lewis.	Wilmans.
Loftin.	Wilson.
Winfree.	Young.

Nays—2.

Laird.

Wessels.

Absent.

Abney.	Jones.
Baker of Milam.	Kemble.
Blount.	Lamb.
Bonham.	Lane.
Burmeister.	Mathes.
Carson.	Miller.
Coffee.	Moore.
Culp.	Patman.
Davenport.	Pinkston.
Davis.	Quaid.
Fugler.	Rountree.
Hardin of Erath.	Smith.
Harris.	Sparkman.
Hendricks.	Stevens.
Howeth.	Thrasher.
Jennings.	Wallace.
Johnson.	Williamson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 539 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 539, A bill to be entitled "An Act to increase the civil jurisdiction of the county court of Hockley county, and the unorganized county of Cochran, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109.

Amsler.	Covey.
Arnold.	Cowen.
Atkinson.	Crawford.
Avis.	Davenport.
Baker of Orange.	DeBerry.
Barker.	Dielmann.
Barrett.	Dodd.
Beasley.	Downs.
Bell.	Driggers.
Bird.	Duffey.
Bobbitt.	Dunlap.
Bonham.	Dunn.
Brady.	Durham.
Bryant.	Edwards.
Cable.	Faubion.
Carpenter	Finlay.
of Matagorda.	Green.
Carter of Coke.	Greer.
Carter of Hays.	Hardin of Erath.
Collins.	Harrington.

Hardin	Pope.
of Kaufman.	Potter.
Henderson	Purl.
of Marion.	Quinn.
Henderson	Rice.
of McLennan.	Robinson.
Houston.	Rogers.
Howeth.	Rountree.
Hughes.	Rowland.
Hull.	Russell
Irwin.	of Callahan.
Jacks.	Russell of Trinity.
Jennings.	Sackett.
Jones.	Sanford.
Lackey.	Satterwhite.
Laird.	Shearer.
Lane.	Shires.
LeMaster.	Simpson.
Lewis.	Sparkman.
Looney.	Stewart
McBride.	of Edwards.
McDaniel.	Stewart of Jasper.
McFarlane.	Stewart of Reeves.
McNatt.	Storey.
Martin.	Stroder.
Maxwell.	Sweet.
Melson.	Teer.
Merriman.	Thompson.
Merritt.	Turner.
Montgomery.	Vaughan.
Morgan	Wallace.
of Liberty.	Wells.
Morgan	Westbrook.
of Robertson.	Wessels.
Pate.	Wilmans.
Patterson.	Wilson.
Perdue.	Winfree.
Pool.	Young.

Absent.

Abney.	Lamb.
Baker of Milam.	Loftin.
Blount.	McDonald.
Burmeister.	McKean.
Carson.	Mathes.
Coffee.	Miller.
Culp.	Moore.
Davis.	Patman.
Fields.	Pinkston.
Fugler.	Price.
Gipson.	Quaid.
Harris.	Smith.
Hendricks.	Stevens.
Johnson.	Thrasher.
Kemble.	Williamson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 540 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 540, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the salaries of the judge of the county court of Dallas County at Law No. 1, and of the judge of the county court of Dallas County at Law No. 2, and prescribe the method of payment."

The bill was read third time and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 546 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 546, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate Simmons Common School District No. 7 in Grayson county, Texas, as re-defined and re-established by order of the county school trustees of Grayson county, Texas, on February 12, 1923, and Common County Line School District No. 8 as re-defined and re-established by an order of the county school trustees of Grayson county, Texas, on February 12, 1923, and by an order of the county school trustees of Collin county, Texas, on February 13, 1923."

The bill was read third time and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 549 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 549, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Thrall Independent School District in the county of Williamson, State of Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees to control and manage the schools of the said district; divesting Common School District No. 21 of Williamson county, Texas, of the control of the free schools of the said district and of the title, management and control of all property held, owned and controlled for public free school purposes therein, and vesting the same in the said Thrall Independent School District and in the board of trustees thereof; providing for the assessing and collecting of taxes; providing for the issuing of bonds; providing for the election of a treasurer for the said school district; providing for the election of an assessor and collector for said school district; providing for the erection of buildings, and equipping same for school

purposes, and assuming the payment of the outstanding bonded indebtedness of Common School District No. 21 of Williamson county, Texas, and creating an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—111.

Amsler.	Lane.
Arnold.	LeMaster.
Atkinson.	Lewis.
Avis.	Looney.
Baker of Milam.	McDaniel.
Baker of Orange.	McDonald.
Barrett.	McFarlane.
Beasley.	McKean.
Bell.	McNatt.
Bird.	Martin.
Bobbitt.	Maxwell.
Bonham.	Melson.
Brady.	Merriman.
Bryant.	Merritt.
Burmeister.	Montgomery.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Liberty.
of Matagorda.	Morgan
Carson.	of Robertson.
Carter of Coke.	Pate.
Carter of Hays.	Patterson.
Coffee.	Perdue.
Collins.	Pool.
Covey.	Pope.
Cowen.	Potter.
Crawford.	Purl.
Davenport.	Quinn.
DeBerry.	Rice.
Dielmann.	Robinson.
Dodd.	Rogers.
Downs.	Rountree.
Driggers.	Rowland.
Duffey.	Russell
Dunn.	of Callahan.
Durham.	Russell of Trinity.
Faubion.	Sackett.
Fields.	Sanford.
Finlay.	Satterwhite.
Green.	Shearer.
Hardin of Erath.	Shires.
Hardin	Simpson.
of Kaufman.	Sparkman.
Harrington.	Stevens.
Harris.	Stewart
Henderson	of Edwards.
of Marion.	Stewart of Jasper.
Henderson	Stewart of Reeves.
of McLennan.	Storey.
Hendricks.	Stroder.
Houston.	Sweet.
Howeth.	Teer.
Hughes.	Thompson.
Irwin.	Turner.
Jennings.	Vaughan.
Lackey.	Wallace.
Laird.	Wells.

Westbrook.
Wessels.
Wilmons.

Wilson.
Winfree.
Young.

Absent.

Abney.
Barker.
Blount.
Culp.
Davis.
Dunlap.
Edwards.
Fugler.
Gipson.
Greer.
Hull.
Jacks.
Johnson.
Jones.

Kemble.
Lamb.
Loftin.
McBride.
Mathes.
Miller.
Moore.
Patman.
Pinkston.
Price.
Quaid.
Smith.
Thrasher.
Williamson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.
Carpenter
of Dallas.
Chitwood.
Dinkle.
Frnka.

LeStourgeon.
Lusk.
Stell.
Stiernberg.
Strickland.

HOUSE BILL NO. 551 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House,
on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 551, A bill to be entitled
"An Act amending Section 2 of Chap-
ter 72 of the Local and Special Laws
of the State of Texas, passed by the
Thirty-eighth Legislature at its Regular
Session, said act being an act creating
the Tynan Independent School District
in Bee county, San Patricio and Live
Oak counties, Texas; said act being
amended by changing boundaries of said
district set out in Section 2 thereof,
and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Bonham offered the following
amendment to the bill:

Amend the caption to bill by changing
"72" to "73," and changing "Thirty-
eighth" to "Thirty-sixth."

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 551 was then passed
by the following vote:

Yeas—109.

Amaler.
Arnold.
Atkinson.
Avis.
Baker of Milam.
Baker of Orange.
Barker.
Barrett.

Beasley.
Bell.
Bird.
Bobbitt.
Bonham.
Brady.
Bryant.
Burmeister.

Cable.
Carpenter
of Matagorda.
Carson.
Carter of Coke.
Carter of Hays.
Coffee.
Covey.
Cowen.
Crawford.
Culp.
DeBerry.
Dielmann.
Dodd.
Downs.
Driggers.
Duffey.
Dunlap.
Dunn.
Durham.
Edwards.
Faubion.
Finlay.
Green.
Greer.
Hardin of Erath.
Hardin
of Kaufman.
Harrington.
Henderson
of McLennan.
Hendricks.
Houston.
Howeth.
Hughes.
Hull.
Irwin.
Jacks.
Jennings.
Jones.
Lackey.
Laird.
Lane.
LeMaster.
Lewis.
Looney.
McBride.
McDaniel.
McFarlane.
McKean.

McNatt.
Martin.
Maxwell.
Melson.
Merriman.
Merritt.
Montgomery.
Morgan
of Liberty.
Morgan
of Robertson.
Pate.
Patterson.
Perdue.
Pool.
Pope.
Potter.
Purl.
Quaid.
Quinn.
Rice.
Robinson.
Rogers.
Rountree.
Rowland.
Russell
of Callahan.
Russell of Trinity.
Sackett.
Sanford.
Satterwhite.
Shearer.
Shires.
Simpson.
Sparkman.
Stewart
of Edwards.
Stewart of Jasper.
Stewart of Reeves.
Storey.
Stroder.
Teer.
Thompson.
Turner.
Vaughan.
Wells.
Wessels.
Wilson.
Winfree.
Young.

Absent.

Abney.
Blount.
Collins.
Davenport.
Davis.
Fields.
Fugler.
Gipson.
Harris.
Henderson
of Marion.
Johnson.
Kemble.
Lamb.
Loftin.

McDonald.
Mathes.
Miller.
Moore.
Patman.
Pinkston.
Price.
Smith.
Stevens.
Sweet.
Thrasher.
Wallace.
Westbrook.
Williamson.
Wilmons.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 553 ON THIRD
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 553, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 52 of Article 30, Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, changing the time of holding the terms of the district court of the Fifty-second Judicial District of Texas; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Arnold.	Henderson
Avis.	of Marion.
Baker of Milam.	Houston.
Baker of Orange.	Howeth.
Barker.	Hughes.
Barrett.	Hull.
Beasley.	Irwin.
Bell.	Jacks.
Bobbitt.	Jennings.
Bonham.	Jones.
Bryant.	Lackey.
Cable.	Laird.
Carpenter	Lane.
of Matagorda.	LeMaster.
Carson.	Lewis.
Carter of Coke.	McBride.
Carter of Hays.	McDaniel.
Covey.	McFarlane.
Cowen.	McKean.
Crawford.	McNatt.
Davenport.	Martin.
DeBerry.	Mathes.
Dielmann.	Maxwell.
Dodd.	Melson.
Downs.	Merriman.
Driggers.	Merritt.
Duffey.	Montgomery.
Dunlap.	Morgan
Dunn.	of Liberty.
Durham.	Morgan
Edwards.	of Robertson.
Faubion.	Pate.
Fields.	Patterson.
Finlay.	Perdue.
Green.	Pool.
Greer.	Pope.
Hardin of Erath.	Potter.
Hardin	Price.
of Kaufman.	Purl.
Hendricks.	Quaid.

Rice.	Stewart of Jasper.
Robinson.	Stewart of Reeves.
Rogers.	Storey.
Rowland.	Stroder.
Russell	Sweet.
of Callahan.	Teer.
Russell of Trinity.	Thompson.
Sackett.	Turner.
Sanford.	Vaughan.
Shearer.	Wallace.
Shires.	Wells.
Simpson.	Westbrook.
Sparkman.	Wilson.
Stevens.	Winfree.
Stewart	Young.
of Edwards.	

Nays—2.

Looney.

Wessels.

Absent.

Abney.	Johnson.
Amsler.	Kemble.
Atkinson.	Lamb.
Bird.	Loftin.
Blount.	McDonald.
Brady.	Miller.
Burmeister.	Moore.
Coffee.	Patman.
Collins.	Pinkston.
Culp.	Quinn.
Davis.	Rountree.
Fugler.	Satterwhite.
Gipson.	Smith.
Harrington.	Thrasher.
Harris.	Williamson.
Henderson	Wilmans.
of McLennan.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 557 ON THIRD
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 557, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and empowering the city of Perryton, in Ochiltree county, Texas, to close certain streets; to narrow and reduce in width certain other streets; to, by ordinance, make provision for settlement and adjustment of property rights with owners of property adjacent to and affected by said changes; and validating all ordinances by said city heretofore passed in connection therewith."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Arnold.	McDaniel.
Atkinson.	McDonald.
Avis.	McFarlane.
Baker of Milam.	McKean.
Baker of Orange.	Martin.
Barker.	Mathe.
Beasley.	Maxwell.
Bell.	Melson.
Bird.	Merriman.
Bobbitt.	Merritt.
Bonham.	Montgomery.
Brady.	Morgan
Bryant.	of Liberty.
Burmeister.	Morgan
Cable.	of Robertson.
Carpenter	Pate.
of Matagorda.	Patman.
Carson.	Patterson.
Carter of Coke.	Perdue.
Carter of Hays.	Pool.
Collins.	Pope.
Covey.	Potter.
Cowen.	Price.
Crawford.	Purl.
DeBerry.	Quaid.
Dodd.	Quinn.
Downs.	Rice.
Duffey.	Robinson.
Dunlap.	Rogers.
Dunn.	Rountree.
Durham.	Rowland.
Edwards.	Russell
Faubion.	of Callahan.
Fields.	Russell of Trinity.
Finlay.	Sackett.
Gipson.	Sanford.
Green.	Shearer.
Greer.	Shires.
Hardin of Erath.	Simpson.
Hardin	Sparkman.
of Kaufman.	Stewart
Henderson.	of Edwards.
of Marion.	Stewart of Jasper.
Hendricks.	Stewart of Reeves.
Houston.	Storey.
Howeth.	Stroder.
Hughes.	Sweet.
Hull.	Teer.
Irwin.	Thompson.
Jacks.	Turner.
Jennings.	Vaughan.
Jones.	Wallace.
Lackey.	Wells.
Laird.	Westbrook.
Lane.	Weasels.
Lewis.	Winfree.
Looney.	Young.
McBride.	

Nays—2.

Driggers.	LeMaster.
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Absent.

Abney.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Lamb.
Barrett.	Loftin.
Blount.	McNatt.
Coffee.	Miller.
Culp.	Moore.
Davenport.	Pinkston.
Davis.	Satterwhite.
Dielmann.	Smith.
Fugler.	Stevens.
Harrington.	Thrasher.
Harris.	Williamson.
Henderson	Wilmans.
of McLennan.	Wilson.
Johnson.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 559 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 559, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Austwell Independent School District in Refugio county, Texas, including the present Common School District No. 9 of said county; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district and board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the present Common School District No. 9 shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected as provided herein; providing for the assumption of any outstanding indebtedness created by the Common School District No. 9, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Arnold.	Bobbitt.
Atkinson.	Bonham.
Avis.	Bryant.
Baker of Milam.	Burmeister.
Baker of Orange.	Carpenter
Barker.	of Dallas.
Barrett.	Carson.
Beasley.	Carter of Coke.
Bell.	Collins.
Bird.	Covey.

Cowen.	Merritt.
Crawford.	Montgomery.
DeBerry.	Morgan
Dielmann.	of Liberty.
Dodd.	Morgan
Downs.	of Robertson.
Driggers.	Pate.
Duffey.	Patman.
Dunlap.	Patterson.
Dunn.	Perdue.
Durham.	Pool.
Edwards.	Pope.
Faubion.	Potter.
Fields.	Price.
Finlay.	Purl.
Gipson.	Rice.
Green.	Robinson.
Greer.	Rogers.
Hardin of Erath.	Rowland.
Hardin	Russell
of Kaufman.	of Callahan.
Henderson	Russell of Trinity.
of Marion.	Sackett.
Hendricks.	Sanford.
Houston.	Satterwhite.
Howeth.	Shearer.
Hull.	Shires.
Jacks.	Simpson.
Jennings.	Sparkman.
Lackey.	Stewart
Laird.	of Edwards.
Lamb.	Stewart of Jasper.
Lane.	Stewart of Reeves.
LeMaster.	Storey.
Lewis.	Stroder.
Looney.	Sweet.
McBride.	Teer.
McDaniel.	Thompson.
McFarlane.	Turner.
McKean.	Vaughan.
McNatt.	Wallace.
Martin.	Wells.
Mathes.	Westbrook.
Maxwell.	Winfree.
Melson.	Young.
Merriman.	

Absent.

Abney.	Jones.
Amsler.	Kemble.
Blount.	Loftin.
Brady.	McDonald.
Cable.	Miller.
Carter of Hays.	Moore.
Coffee.	Pinkston.
Culp.	Quaid.
Davenport.	Quinn.
Davis.	Rountree.
Fugler.	Smith.
Harrington.	Stevens.
Harris.	Thrasher.
Henderson	Wessels.
of McLennan.	Williamson.
Hughes.	Wilmans.
Irwin.	Wilson.
Johnson.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Matagorda.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 560 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 560, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and incorporating Midway Independent School District, in Lynn county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Common School District No. 9 of Lynn county as heretofore created by the county board of school trustees of said county; defining boundary thereof; providing for a board of trustees, their election, terms of office, qualification, powers, duties and authority; authorizing the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes, and to issue bonds; providing for an assessor and collector of taxes and a board of equalization; providing that said Midway Independent School District shall assume and discharge any and all indebtedness constituting valid and binding obligations of said Common School District No. 9 of Lynn county; validating and continuing in force any and all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in such common school district; providing that title to any and all property of said common school district shall vest in the trustees of independent school district hereby created; providing for filling vacancies on the board of trustees; providing for a seal for said district; providing that the board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws of Texas in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that invalidation by the courts of any section or provision of this act shall not invalidate any remaining provision thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Arnold.	Beasley.
Atkinson.	Bell.
Avis.	Bird.
Baker of Milam.	Bobbitt.
Baker of Orange.	Brady.
Barker.	Bryant.

Burmeister.	McKean.
Cable.	McNatt.
Carpenter	Martin.
of Matagorda.	Maxwell.
Carson.	Melson.
Carter of Coke.	Merriman.
Collins.	Merritt.
Covey.	Montgomery.
Cowen.	Morgan
Crawford.	of Liberty.
DeBerry.	Morgan
Dielmann.	of Robertson.
Dodd.	Patman.
Downs.	Patterson.
Driggers.	Perdue.
Duffey.	Pool.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Dunn.	Potter.
Durham.	Purl.
Edwards.	Quaid.
Faubion.	Rice.
Fields.	Robinson.
Finlay.	Rogers.
Gipson.	Rowland.
Green.	Russell
Greer.	of Callahan.
Hardin of Erath.	Russell of Trinity.
Hardin	Sackett.
of Kaufman.	Sanford.
Henderson	Satterwhite.
of Marion.	Shearer.
Henderson	Shires.
of McLennan.	Simpson.
Hendricks.	Sparkman.
Houston.	Stewart
Howeth.	of Edwards.
Hughes.	Stewart of Jasper.
Hull.	Stewart of Reeves.
Irwin.	Storey.
Jacks.	Stroder.
Lackey.	Sweet.
Laird.	Teer.
Lane.	Thompson.
LeMaster.	Vaughan.
Lewis.	Wallace.
Looney.	Wells.
McBride.	Westbrook.
McDaniel.	Wessels.
McDonald.	Winfree.
McFarlane.	Young.

Absent.

Abney.	Johnson.
Amsler.	Jones.
Barrett.	Kemble.
Blount.	Lamb.
Bonham.	Loftin.
Carter of Hays.	Mathes.
Coffee.	Miller.
Culp.	Moore.
Davenport.	Pate.
Davis.	Pinkston.
Fugler.	Price.
Harrington.	Quinn.
Harris.	Rountree.
Jennings.	Smith.

Stevens.	Williamson.
Thrasher.	Wilmons.
Turner.	Wilson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 561 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 561, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and incorporating Joe Stokes Independent School District in Lynn county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Common School District No. 17 of Lynn county as heretofore created by the county board of school trustees of said county; defining boundary thereof; providing for a board of trustees, their election, terms of office, qualification, powers, duty and authority; authorizing the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds; providing for an assessor and collector of taxes and a board of equalization; providing that said Joe Stokes Independent School District shall assume and discharge any and all indebtedness constituting valid and binding obligations of said Common School District No. 17 of Lynn county; validating and continuing in force any and all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in such common school district; providing that title to any and all property of said common school district shall vest in the trustees of independent school district hereby created; providing for filling vacancies on the board of trustees; providing for a seal for said district; providing that the board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws of Texas in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that invalidation by the courts of any section or provision of this act shall not invalidate any remaining provision thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—113.

Amsler.	Avis.
Arnold.	Baker of Milam.
Atkinson.	Baker of Orange.

Barker.	McDaniel.
Barrett.	McFarlane.
Beasley.	McKean.
Bell.	McNatt.
Bird.	Martin.
Bobbitt.	Maxwell.
Bonham.	Melson.
Brady.	Merriman.
Bryant.	Merritt.
Burmeister.	Montgomery.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Liberty.
of Matagorda.	Morgan
Carson.	of Robertson.
Carter of Coke.	Pate.
Collins.	Patman.
Covey.	Patterson.
Cowen.	Perdue.
Crawford.	Pool.
Davenport.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Potter.
Dielmann.	Price.
Dodd.	Purl.
Downs.	Quaid.
Driggers.	Rice.
Duffey.	Robinson.
Dunlap.	Rogers.
Dunn.	Rountree.
Durham.	Rowland.
Edwards.	Russell
Faubion.	of Callahan.
Fields.	Russell of Trinity.
Finlay.	Sackett.
Gipson.	Sanford.
Green.	Satterwhite.
Greer.	Shearer.
Hardin of Erath.	Shires.
Hardin	Simpson.
of Kaufman.	Sparkman.
Henderson	Stevens.
of Marion.	Stewart
Henderson	of Edwards.
of McLennan.	Stewart of Jasper.
Hendricks.	Stewart of Reeves.
Houston.	Storey.
Howeth.	Stroder.
Hughes.	Sweet.
Jacks.	Teer.
Jennings.	Thompson.
Lackey.	Turner.
Laird.	Vaughan.
Lamb.	Wallace.
Lane.	Wells.
LeMaster.	Westbrook.
Lewis.	Wessels.
Looney.	Winfree.
McBride.	Young.

Absent.

Abney.	Harris.
Blount.	Hull.
Carter of Hays.	Irwin.
Coffee.	Johnson.
Culp.	Jones.
Davis.	Kemble.
Fugler.	Loftin.
Harrington.	McDonald.

Mathes.	Smith.
Miller.	Thrasher.
Moore.	Williamson.
Pinkston.	Wilmans.
Quinn.	Wilson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 563 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 563, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section I of an act entitled 'An Act creating the Pflugerville Independent School District in Travis and Williamson counties, Texas; consolidating into said independent school district the territory included in the present Pflugerville Independent School District, Common School District No. 56, Common School District No. 12, Williamson and Travis County Line School District No. 14, and Common School District No. 15; defining its boundaries; vesting it with the rights, powers, duties and privileges of districts incorporated for school purposes only under the general law; providing for a board of trustees therefor; making a provision for taxation for school purposes in said district, and declaring an emergency,' being House bill No. 606, passed by the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and amended by House bill No. 51, passed by the Second Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, changing and correcting the boundary lines of said school district and validating and confirming the election of school trustees for said district, and declaring an emergency, providing for the election of trustees in said school district and validating and confirming the election of school trustees for said school district."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—108.

Amsler.	Bell.
Arnold.	Bird.
Atkinson.	Bobbitt.
Avis.	Bonham.
Baker of Milam.	Brady.
Baker of Orange.	Bryant.
Barker.	Burmeister.
Barrett.	Cable.
Beasley.	Carson.

Carpenter of Matagorda.	McNatt.
Carter of Coke.	Martin.
Collins.	Maxwell.
Covey.	Merritt.
Cowen.	Morgan
Crawford.	of Liberty.
Davenport.	Morgan
DeBerry.	of Robertson.
Dielmann.	Pate.
Dodd.	Patman.
Downs.	Patterson.
Driggers.	Perdue.
Duffey.	Pool.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Dunn.	Potter.
Durham.	Purl.
Edwards.	Quaid.
Faubion.	Quinn.
Finlay.	Rice.
Gipson.	Robinson.
Green.	Rogers.
Greer.	Rountree.
Hardin of Erath.	Rowland.
Hardin	Russell
of Kaufman.	of Callahan.
Harrington.	Russell of Trinity.
Harris.	Sackett.
Henderson	Sanford.
of Marion.	Satterwhite.
Henderson	Shearer.
of McLennan.	Shires.
Hendricks.	Simpson.
Houston.	Sparkman.
Howeth.	Stevens.
Hughes.	Stewart
Hull.	of Edwards.
Irwin.	Stewart of Jasper.
Jacks.	Stewart of Reeves.
Jennings.	Storey.
Lackey.	Stroder.
Laird.	Sweet.
Lamb.	Teer.
Lane.	Thompson.
LeMaster.	Turner.
Lewis.	Vaughan.
Looney.	Wallace.
McBride.	Wells.
McDaniel.	Westbrook.
McFarlane.	Wessels.
McKean.	Winfree.
	Young.

Nays—1.

Melson.

Absent.

Abney.	Kemble.
Blount.	Loftin.
Carter of Hays.	McDonald.
Coffee.	Mathes.
Culp.	Merriman.
Davis.	Miller.
Fields.	Montgomery.
Fugler.	Moore.
Johnson.	Pinkston.
Jones.	Price.

Smith.	Wilmans.
Thrasher.	Wilson.
Williamson.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 564 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 564, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sections 6 and 6a of Chapter 8, being House bill No. 45, passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, and entitled 'An Act to amend Chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Texas passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, being an act to reorganize the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas, etc.,' and providing for the changing and fixing the time of holding the courts in the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, and validating and continuing all processes and writs, bonds, recognizances and jurors heretofore selected, etc., returnable to the terms of court as they now exist and continuing in session any court in said district now in session until adjourned by the judge thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Amsler.	Carter of Coke.
Arnold.	Collins.
Atkinson.	Covey.
Avis.	Cowen.
Baker of Milam.	Crawford.
Baker of Orange.	Davenport.
Barker.	DeBerry.
Barrett.	Dielmann.
Beasley.	Dodd.
Bell.	Downs.
Bird.	Driggers.
Bobbitt.	Duffey.
Bonham.	Dunlap.
Brady.	Dunn.
Bryant.	Durham.
Burmeister.	Edwards.
Cable.	Faubion.
Carpenter	Finlay.
of Matagorda.	Gipson.
Carson.	Green.

Greer.	Patterson.
Hardin of Erath.	Perdue.
Hardin	Pool.
of Kaufman.	Pope.
Henderson	Potter.
of Marion.	Purl.
Henderson	Quaid.
of McLennan.	Quinn.
Hendricks.	Robinson.
Houston.	Rogers.
Hughes.	Rountree.
Irwin.	Rowland.
Jacks.	Russell
Jennings.	of Callahan.
Lackey.	Russell of Trinity.
Laird.	Sackett.
Lane.	Sanford.
LeMaster.	Satterwhite.
Lewis.	Shearer.
Looney.	Shires.
McBride.	Simpson.
McDaniel.	Sparkman.
McFarlane.	Stewart
McKean.	of Edwards.
McNatt.	Stewart of Jasper.
Martin.	Stewart of Reeves.
Mathes.	Storey.
Maxwell.	Stroder.
Melson.	Teer.
Merriman.	Thompson.
Merritt.	Turner.
Montgomery.	Vaughan.
Morgan	Wallace.
of Liberty.	Wells.
Morgan	Westbrook.
of Robertson.	Winfree.
Pate.	Young.
Patman.	

Nays—1.

Wessels.

Absent.

Abney.	Lamb.
Blount.	Loftin.
Carter of Hays.	McDonald.
Coffee.	Miller.
Culp.	Moore.
Davis.	Pinkston.
Fields.	Price.
Fugler.	Rice.
Harrington.	Smith.
Harris.	Stevens.
Howeth.	Sweet.
Hull.	Thrasher.
Johnson.	Williamson.
Jones.	Wilms.
Kemble.	Wilson.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 570 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 570, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing and enlarging the boundaries of the Elmo Independent School District in Kaufman county, and providing for an election to adjust the territory thus added to taxes which may be now levied upon the property of said Elmo Independent School District and for an assumption by said Elmo Independent School District of the pro rata of taxes to which the territory thus added to said Elmo Independent School District by this act may be subject by reason of any outstanding bond issue or bond issues previously voted by any school district or school districts of which such added territory may have heretofore formed part; defining the powers of said Elmo Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107.

Amsler.	Fields.
Arnold.	Gipson.
Atkinson.	Green.
Avis.	Greer.
Baker of Milam.	Hardin of Erath.
Baker of Orange.	Hardin
Barrett.	of Kaufman.
Beasley.	Henderson
Bell.	of Marion.
Bird.	Henderson
Bobbitt.	of McLennan.
Bonham.	Hendricks.
Brady.	Houston.
Bryant.	Howeth.
Burmeister.	Hughes.
Cable.	Hull.
Carpenter	Irwin.
of Matagorda.	Jacks.
Carson.	Jennings.
Carter of Coke.	Lackey.
Collins.	Laird.
Covey.	LeMaster.
Cowen.	Lewis.
Crawford.	Looney.
Davenport.	McBride.
DeBerry.	McDaniel.
Dielmann.	McFarlane.
Dodd.	McKean.
Driggers.	McNatt.
Duffey.	Martin.
Dunlap.	Maxwell.
Dunn.	Melson.
Durham.	Merriman.
Edwards.	Merritt.
Faubion.	Montgomery.

Morgan of Liberty.	Sanford.
Morgan of Robertson.	Satterwhite.
Pate.	Shearer.
Patman.	Shires.
Patterson.	Simpson.
Perdue.	Sparkman.
Pool.	Stewart
Pope.	of Edwards.
Potter.	Stewart of Reeves.
Purl.	Storey.
Quaid.	Stroder.
Rice.	Sweet.
Robinson.	Teer.
Rogers.	Thompson.
Rountree.	Turner.
Rowland.	Vaughan.
Russell	Wallace.
of Callahan.	Wells.
Russell of Trinity.	Westbrook.
Sackett.	Wessels.
	Winfree.
	Young.

Nays—1.

Finlay.

Absent.

Abney.	Loftin.
Barker.	McDonald.
Blount.	Mathes.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Coffee.	Moore.
Culp.	Pinkston.
Davis.	Price.
Downs.	Quinn.
Fugler.	Smith.
Harrington.	Stevens.
Harris.	Stewart of Jasper.
Johnson.	Thrasher.
Jones.	Williamson.
Kemble.	Wilmans.
Lamb.	Wilson.
Lane.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 576 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 576, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 52 of the Special and Local Laws passed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature at its First Called Session, by adding thereto Section 3a, providing for the assumption and refunding by the Cooper Independent School District of all or any part

of the indebtedness, bonded or otherwise, of the City of Cooper, Texas, created for school purposes, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Arnold.	Lewis.
Atkinson.	Looney.
Avis.	McBride.
Baker of Milam.	McDaniel.
Baker of Orange.	McKean.
Barrett.	McNatt.
Beasley.	Martin.
Bell.	Maxwell.
Bird.	Melson.
Bobbitt.	Merritt.
Bonham.	Montgomery.
Bryant.	Morgan
Burmeister.	of Liberty.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Robertson.
of Matagorda.	Pate.
Carson.	Patman.
Carter of Coke.	Patterson.
Covey.	Perdue.
Cowen.	Pool.
Crawford.	Pope.
Davenport.	Potter.
Dielmann.	Purl.
Dodd.	Quaid.
Downs.	Robinson.
Driggers.	Rogers.
Duffey.	Rountree.
Dunlap.	Rowland.
Dunn.	Russell
Durham.	of Callahan.
Edwards.	Russell of Trinity.
Faubion.	Sackett.
Fields.	Sanford.
Finlay.	Satterwhite.
Gipson.	Shearer.
Green.	Simpson.
Greer.	Sparkman.
Hardin of Erath.	Stewart
Henderson	of Edwards.
of Marion.	Stewart of Jasper.
Henderson	Stewart of Reeves.
of McLennan.	Storey.
Hendricks.	Sweet.
Houston.	Teer.
Howeth.	Thompson.
Hughes.	Turner.
Hull.	Vaughan.
Irwin.	Wallace.
Jacks.	Wells.
Jennings.	Westbrook.
Kemble.	Wessels.
Lackey.	Wilson.
Laird.	Winfree.
Lamb.	Young.
Lane.	

Nays—1.

LeMaster.

Absent.

Abney.	Loftin.
Amsler.	McDonald.
Barker.	McFarlane.
Blount.	Mathes.
Brady.	Merriman.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Coffee.	Moore.
Collins.	Pinkston.
Culp.	Price.
Davis.	Quinn.
DeBerry.	Rice.
Fugler.	Shires.
Hardin	Smith.
of Kaufman.	Stevens.
Harrington.	Stroder.
Harris.	Thrasher.
Johnson.	Williamson.
Jones.	Wilmans.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 578 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 578, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act passed by the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, known as House bill No. 470, and approved April 4, 1907, entitled 'An Act creating an independent school district to be known as the Coleman Independent School District, including within its limits the municipal corporation of the town of Coleman, and to provide for the creation of a board of trustees thereof, and authorizing the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect special taxes, and conferring upon the board of trustees plenary powers and authority to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing school sites, and erecting, furnishing and equipping school buildings within the same, and to pay current expenses in the maintenance and support of said schools, and further prescribing the duties and authorities of said board,' so as to hereafter read as follows, and extending and defining its boundaries and including within its limits the municipal corporation of the city of Coleman, and to provide for the creating of a board of trustees thereof and authorize the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect special taxes and provide author-

ity to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing school sites and erecting, furnishing and equipping school buildings within the same, and to levy a tax therefor, and to pay all current expenses for the maintenance and support of said school, declaring valid all issues of bonds heretofore made, declaring valid maintenance tax heretofore voted and repealing all laws in conflict herewith in so far as they conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Abney.	Jacks.
Amsler.	Jennings.
Arnold.	Lackey.
Atkinson.	Laird.
Avis.	Lane.
Baker of Milam.	LeMaster.
Baker of Orange.	Lewis.
Barrett.	Looney.
Beasley.	McBride.
Bell.	McDaniel.
Bird.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Bonham.	Martin.
Bryant.	Mathes.
Cable.	Maxwell.
Carpenter	Melson.
of Matagorda.	Merriman.
Carson.	Merritt.
Carter of Coke.	Montgomery.
Covey.	Morgan
Cowen.	of Liberty.
Crawford.	Morgan
Davenport.	of Robertson.
DeBerry.	Pate.
Dielmann.	Patman.
Dodd.	Patterson.
Driggers.	Perdue.
Duffey.	Pool.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Dunn.	Potter.
Durham.	Quaid.
Edwards.	Robinson.
Faubion.	Rogers.
Fields.	Rountree.
Finlay.	Rowland.
Gipson.	Russell
Green.	of Callahan.
Greer.	Russell of Trinity.
Hardin of Erath.	Sanford.
Henderson	Shearer.
of Marion.	Shires.
Henderson	Simpson.
of McLennan.	Sparkman.
Hendricks.	Stevens.
Houston.	Stewart
Howeth.	of Edwards.
Hughes.	Stewart of Jasper.
Hull.	Stewart of Reeves.
Irwin.	Storey.

Stroder.
Sweet.
Teer.
Thompson.
Turner.
Vaughan.
Wallace.

Wells.
Westbrook.
Wessels.
Wilson.
Winfree.
Young.

Absent.

Barker.
Blount.
Brady.
Burmeister.
Carter of Hays.
Coffee.
Collins.
Culp.
Davis.
Downs.
Fugler.
Hardin
of Kaufman.
Harrington.
Harris.
Johnson.
Jones.
Kemble.

Lamb.
Loftin.
McDonald.
McFarlane.
Miller.
Moore.
Pinkston.
Price.
Purl.
Quinn.
Rice.
Sackett.
Satterwhite.
Smith.
Thrasher.
Williamson.
Wilmans.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.
Carpenter
of Dallas.
Chitwood.
Dinkle.
Frnka.

LeSturgeon.
Lusk.
Stell.
Stiernberg.
Strickland.

HOUSE BILL NO. 582 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House,
on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 582, A bill to be entitled
"An Act creating the Fairview Independent School District in Wichita county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees for said independent school district; describing their qualifications and terms of office; defining the rights, powers and privileges of said board, and conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of the State of Texas upon independent school districts and the board of trustees thereof; providing for the creation of a board of trustees; providing for the raising of revenues; declaring valid a maintenance tax heretofore voted; and providing for the assessment and collection of said tax and for a board of equalization of said school district; and providing for the election of trustees thereof; providing for the transportation of pupils un-

der certain conditions, and repealing all laws in so far as they may be in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109.

Abney.
Amsler.
Arnold.
Atkinson.
Avis.
Baker of Milam.
Baker of Orange.
Barker.
Beasley.
Bell.
Bird.
Bobbitt.
Bonham.
Bryant.
Burmeister.
Cable.
Carpenter
of Matagorda.
Carson.
Carter of Coke.
Covey.
Cowen.
Crawford.
Davenport.
DeBerry.
Dielmann.
Dodd.
Driggers.
Duffey.
Dunlap.
Dunn.
Durham.
Edwards.
Faubion.
Fields.
Finlay.
Gipson.
Green.
Greer.
Hardin of Erath.
Henderson
of Marion.
Henderson
of McLennan.
Hendricks.
Houston.
Howeth.
Hughes.
Hull.
Irwin.
Jacks.
Jennings.
Lackey.
Laird.
Lane.
LeMaster.
Lewis.
Loftin.

Looney.
McBride.
McDaniel.
McDonald.
McFarlane.
McKean.
McNatt.
Martin.
Mathes.
Maxwell.
Melson.
Merriman.
Merritt.
Montgomery.
Morgan
of Liberty.
Morgan
of Robertson.
Pate.
Patman.
Patterson.
Perdue.
Pool.
Pope.
Potter.
Price.
Purl.
Robinson.
Rogers.
Rountree.
Rowland.
Russell
of Callahan.
Russell of Trinity.
Sackett.
Sanford.
Satterwhite.
Shearer.
Shires.
Simpson.
Sparkman.
Stevens.
Stewart
of Edwards.
Stewart of Reeves.
Storey.
Stroder.
Sweet.
Teer.
Thompson.
Turner.
Vaughan.
Wallace.
Wells.
Westbrook.
Wilson.
Winfree.
Young.

	Absent.
Barrett.	Jones.
Blount.	Kemble.
Brady.	Lamb.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Coffee.	Moore.
Collins.	Pinkston.
Culp.	Quaid.
Davis.	Quinn.
Downs.	Rice.
Fugler.	Smith.
Hardin	Stewart of Jasper.
of Kaufman.	Thrasher.
Harrington.	Wessels.
Harris.	Williamson.
Johnson.	Wilmans.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 585 ON THIRD
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 585, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 6 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fourth Legislature so as to change the time and terms of holding the district court in the Seventy-eighth Judicial District of Texas, composed of Wichita county; to validate all process heretofore issued, bonds and recognizances heretofore taken in the courts of said district, and all judgments therein rendered or to be rendered; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Abney.	Cable.
Amsler.	Carpenter
Arnold.	of Matagorda.
Atkinson.	Carson.
Avis.	Covey.
Baker of Milam.	Cowen.
Baker of Orange.	Crawford.
Barrett.	Davenport.
Beasley.	DeBerry.
Bell.	Dielmann.
Bird.	Dodd.
Bobbitt.	Downs.
Bonham.	Driggers.
Brady.	Duffey.
Bryant.	Dunlap.
Burmeister.	Dunn.

Edwards.	Morgan
Faubion.	of Robertson.
Finlay.	Pate.
Gipson.	Patman.
Green.	Patterson.
Greer.	Perdue.
Harris.	Pool.
Henderson	Pope.
of Marion.	Purl.
Henderson	Quinn.
of McLennan.	Robinson.
Hendricks.	Rogers.
Houston.	Rountree.
Howeth.	Rowland.
Hughes.	Russell
Hull.	of Callahan.
Irwin.	Russell of Trinity.
Jennings.	Sackett.
Lackey.	Sanford.
Laird.	Satterwhite.
Lane.	Shearer.
LeMaster.	Shires.
Lewis.	Simpson.
Loftin.	Stewart
Looney.	of Edwards.
McBride.	Stewart of Reeves.
McDaniel.	Storey.
McDonald.	Stroder.
McFarlane.	Sweet.
McKean.	Teer.
McNatt.	Thompson.
Martin.	Turner.
Mathes.	Vaughan.
Maxwell.	Wallace.
Merriman.	Wells.
Merritt.	Wessels.
Montgomery.	Wilson.
Morgan	Young.
of Liberty.	

Absent.

Barker.	Lamb.
Blount.	Melson.
Carter of Coke.	Miller.
Carter of Hays.	Moore.
Coffee.	Pinkston.
Collins.	Potter.
Culp.	Price.
Davis.	Quaid.
Durham.	Rice.
Fields.	Smith.
Fugler.	Sparkman.
Hardin of Erath.	Stevens.
Hardin	Stewart of Jasper.
of Kaufman.	Thrasher.
Harrington.	Westbrook.
Jacks.	Williamson.
Johnson.	Wilmans.
Jones.	Winfree.
Kemble.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 589 ON THIRD
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 589, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Santa Margarita Independent School District in Willacy county, Texas, and defining its boundaries; providing for the election of a board of trustees therefor; providing for the election of a secretary treasurer, assessor and collector of taxes and all other necessary officers and committees, and prescribing their qualifications; investing said district with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties of a town or village incorporated under the general laws of the State for free school purposes only, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Abney.	Henderson
Amsler.	of Marion.
Atkinson.	Henderson
Avis.	of McLennan.
Baker of Milam.	Hendricks.
Baker of Orange.	Houston.
Barrett.	Howeth.
Beasley.	Hughes.
Bell.	Hull.
Bird.	Irwin.
Bobbitt.	Jennings.
Bonham.	Lackey.
Brady.	Laird.
Bryant.	Lamb.
Burmeister.	Lane.
Cable.	LeMaster.
Carpenter	Lewis.
of Matagorda.	Loftin.
Carson.	Looney.
Carter of Coke.	McBride.
Covey.	McDaniel.
Cowen.	McDonald.
Crawford.	McFarlane.
Davenport.	McNatt.
DeBerry.	Martin.
Dielmann.	Mathes.
Dodd.	Maxwell.
Downs.	Melson.
Driggers.	Merriman.
Duffey.	Montgomery.
Dunlap.	Morgan
Dunn.	of Liberty.
Durham.	Morgan
Faubion.	of Robertson.
Fields.	Pate.
Finlay.	Patman.
Gipson.	Patterson.
Green.	Perdue.
Greer.	Pool.
Hardin of Erath.	Pope.

Potter.	Stewart
Purl.	of Edwards.
Quinn.	Stewart of Reeves.
Robinson.	Storey.
Rogers.	Sweet.
Rountree.	Teer.
Rowland.	Thompson.
Russell	Turner.
of Callahan.	Vaughan.
Russell of Trinity.	Wallace.
Sackett.	Wells.
Sanford.	Wessels.
Satterwhite.	Westbrook.
Shearer.	Wilson.
Simpson.	Winfree.
Sparkman.	Young.
Stevens.	

Absent.

Arnold.	Kemble.
Barker.	McKean.
Blount.	Merritt.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Coffee.	Moore.
Collins.	Pinkston.
Culp.	Price.
Davis.	Quaid.
Edwards.	Rice.
Fugler.	Shires.
Hardin	Smith.
of Kaufman.	Stewart of Jasper.
Harrington.	Stroder.
Harris.	Thrasher.
Jacks.	Williamson.
Johnson.	Wilmans.
Jones.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 596 ON THIRD
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 596, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating a certain issue of schoolhouse bonds aggregating \$5000, bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum, voted by Common School District No. 7 of Lynn county on July 23, 1921; validating the election voting such bonds, all orders of the commissioners court of Lynn county in respect to such election and such bonds, and in addition all orders levying taxes to support the same, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Abney.	Looney.
Amsler.	McBride.
Arnold.	McDaniel.
Atkinson.	McDonald.
Avis.	McFarlane.
Baker of Milam.	McKean.
Baker of Orange.	McNatt.
Barrett.	Martin.
Beasley.	Maxwell.
Bell.	Melson.
Bird.	Merriman.
Bobbitt.	Merritt.
Brady.	Montgomery.
Bryant.	Morgan
Burmeister.	of Liberty.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Robertson.
of Matagorda.	Pate.
Carson.	Patman.
Carter of Coke.	Perdue.
Covey.	Pool.
Crawford.	Pope.
Davenport.	Potter.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Dielmann.	Robinson.
Dodd.	Rogers.
Downs.	Rountree.
Driggers.	Rowland.
Duffey.	Russell
Dunlap.	of Callahan.
Dunn.	Russell of Trinity.
Durham.	Sackett.
Edwards.	Sanford.
Faubion.	Satterwhite.
Finlay.	Shearer.
Green.	Simpson.
Greer.	Sparkman.
Hardin of Erath.	Stewart
Harrington.	of Edwards.
Henderson	Stewart of Reeves.
of Marion.	Storey.
Henderson	Stroder.
of McLennan.	Sweet.
Hendricks.	Teer.
Houston.	Thompson.
Howeth.	Turner.
Hughes.	Vaughan.
Hull.	Wallace.
Irwin.	Wells.
Jennings.	Westbrook.
Laird.	Wessels.
Lamb.	Wilson.
Lane.	Winfree.
Loftin.	Young.

Nays—1.

LeMaster.

Absent.

Barker.	Collins.
Blount.	Cowen.
Bonham.	Culp.
Carter of Hays.	Davis.
Coffee.	Fields.

Fugler.	Patterson.
Gipson.	Pinkston.
Hardin	Price.
of Kaufman.	Quaid.
Harris.	Quinn.
Jacks.	Rice.
Johnson.	Shires.
Jones.	Smith.
Kemble.	Stevens.
Lackey.	Stewart of Jasper.
Lewis.	Thrasher.
Mathes.	Williamson.
Miller.	Wilmans.
Moore.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 600 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 600, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 18, of the Local and Special Laws, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, and the same being an act to create the Tulia Independent School District in Swisher county, Texas, adding thereto Section 6a, validating bond elections heretofore held and bonds issued hereunder, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—104.

Abney.	DeBerry.
Amsler.	Dielmann.
Arnold.	Dodd.
Atkinson.	Downs.
Avis.	Driggers.
Baker of Milam.	Duffey.
Baker of Orange.	Dunlap.
Barrett.	Dunn.
Beasley.	Durham.
Bell.	Edwards.
Bird.	Faubion.
Bobbitt.	Finlay.
Bonham.	Gipson.
Brady.	Green.
Bryant.	Greer.
Burmeister.	Hardin of Erath.
Cable.	Hardin
Carson.	of Kaufman.
Covey.	Harrington.
Cowen.	Henderson
Crawford.	of Marion.
Davenport.	

Henderson	Pool.
of McLennan.	Pope.
Hendricks.	Potter.
Houston.	Purl.
Howeth.	Robinson.
Hughes.	Rogers.
Hull.	Rountree.
Irwin.	Rowland.
Jacks.	Russell
Jennings.	of Callahan.
Kemble.	Russell of Trinity.
Laird.	Sackett.
Lamb.	Sanford.
LeMaster.	Satterwhite.
Loftin.	Shearer.
Looney.	Simpson.
McBride.	Sparkman.
McDaniel.	Stevens.
McDonald.	Stewart
McFarlane.	of Edwards.
McKean.	Stewart of Reeves.
McNatt.	Storey.
Martin.	Stroder.
Mathes.	Sweet.
Maxwell.	Teer.
Merriman.	Thompson.
Merritt.	Turner.
Montgomery.	Vaughan.
Morgan	Wallace.
of Liberty.	Wells.
Morgan	Westbrook.
of Robertson.	Wessels.
Pate.	Wilson.
Patman.	Young.
Perdue.	

Absent.

Barker.	Lewis.
Blount.	Melson.
Carpenter	Miller.
of Matagorda.	Moore.
Carter of Coke.	Patterson.
Carter of Hays.	Pinkston.
Coffee.	Price.
Collins.	Quaid.
Culp.	Quinn.
Davis.	Rice.
Fields.	Shires.
Fugler.	Smith.
Harris.	Stewart of Jasper.
Johnson.	Thrasher.
Jones.	Williamson.
Lackey.	Wilmans.
Lane.	Winfree.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 607 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 607, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 74, Special Laws of the Thirty-second Legislature, as amended by Chapter 96, Special Laws of the Thirty-third Legislature, and as further amended by Chapter 89, Special Laws of the Thirty-fourth Legislature, relating to the road system of Leon county, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Robinson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 607 by striking out the words "as amended by Chapter 96, General Laws of the Thirty-third Legislature," and amend the caption to correspond thereto.

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 607 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—110.

Abney.	Henderson
Amsler.	of Marion.
Arnold.	Henderson
Atkinson.	of McLennan.
Avis.	Hendricks.
Baker of Milam.	Houston.
Baker of Orange.	Howeth.
Barrett.	Hughes.
Beasley.	Hull.
Bell.	Irwin.
Bird.	Jacks.
Bobbitt.	Jennings.
Bonham.	Kemble.
Brady.	Laird.
Cable.	Lamb.
Carpenter	LeMaster.
of Matagorda.	Loftin.
Carter of Coke.	Looney.
Coffee.	McBride.
Covey.	McDaniel.
Cowen.	McDonald.
Crawford.	McFarlane.
Davenport.	McKean.
DeBerry.	McNatt.
Dielmann.	Martin.
Dodd.	Mathes.
Downs.	Maxwell.
Driggers.	Melson.
Duffey.	Merriman.
Dunlap.	Merritt.
Dunn.	Montgomery.
Durham.	Morgan
Edwards.	of Liberty.
Faubion.	Morgan
Fields.	of Robertson.
Finlay.	Pate.
Gipson.	Patman.
Green.	Patterson.
Greer.	Perdue.
Hardin of Erath.	Pool.
Hardin	Pope.
of Kaufman.	Potter.
Harrington.	Purl.

Quinn.	Stewart
Robinson.	of Edwards.
Rogers.	Stewart of Reeves.
Rountree.	Storey.
Rowland.	Sweet.
Russell	Teer.
of Callahan.	Thompson.
Russell of Trinity.	Thrasher.
Sackett.	Turner.
Sanford.	Vaughan.
Satterwhite.	Wallace.
Shearer.	Wells.
Shires.	Westbrook.
Simpson.	Wessels.
Sparkman.	Wilson.
Stevens.	Winfree.
	Young.

Absent.

Barker.	Lane.
Blount.	Lewis.
Bryant.	Miller.
Burmeister.	Moore.
Carson.	Pinkston.
Carter of Hays.	Price.
Collins.	Quaid.
Culp.	Rice.
Davis.	Smith.
Fugler.	Stewart of Jasper.
Harris.	Stroder.
Johnson.	Williamson.
Jones.	Wilmans.
Lackey.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 608 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 608, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Carta Valley Independent School District in Edwards and Val Verde counties, Texas; providing a board of trustees therefor, vesting said independent school district and board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the existing school in said district shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected in accordance with the general laws of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—112.

Abney.	LeMaster.
Amsler.	Looney.
Arnold.	McBride.
Atkinson.	McDaniel.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Milam.	McFarlane.
Baker of Orange.	McKean.
Barrett.	Martin.
Beasley.	Mathes.
Bell.	Maxwell.
Bird.	Melson.
Bobbitt.	Merriman.
Bonham.	Merritt.
Brady.	Montgomery.
Bryant.	Morgan
Burmeister.	of Liberty.
Cable.	Morgan
Carpenter	of Robertson.
of Matagorda.	Pate.
Carter of Coke.	Patman.
Coffee.	Patterson.
Covey.	Perdue.
Cowen.	Pool.
Crawford.	Pope.
Davenport.	Potter.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Dielmann.	Quinn.
Dodd.	Robinson.
Downs.	Rogers.
Driggers.	Rountree.
Duffey.	Rowland.
Dunlap.	Russell
Dunn.	of Callahan.
Durham.	Russell of Trinity.
Edwards.	Sackett.
Faubion.	Sanford.
Fields.	Satterwhite.
Finlay.	Shearer.
Gipson.	Shires.
Green.	Simpson.
Greer.	Sparkman.
Hardin of Erath.	Stevens.
Hardin	Stewart
of Kaufman.	of Edwards.
Harrington.	Stewart of Reeves.
Henderson	Storey.
of Marion.	Sweet.
Henderson	Teer.
of McLennan.	Thompson.
Houston.	Thrasher.
Howeth.	Turner.
Hughes.	Vaughan.
Hull.	Wallace.
Irwin.	Wells.
Jacks.	Westbrook.
Jennings.	Wessels.
Kemble.	Wilson.
Lackey.	Winfree.
Laird.	Young.
Lamb.	

Nays—1.

Absent.

Jones.	
Barker.	Blount.

Carson.	McNatt.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Collins.	Moore.
Culp.	Pinkston.
Davis.	Price.
Fugler.	Quaid.
Harris.	Rice.
Hendricks.	Smith.
Johnson.	Stewart of Jasper.
Lane.	Stroder.
Lewis.	Williamson.
Loftin.	Wilmons.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 609 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 609, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2, Chapter 22, Acts of the Thirtieth Legislature. Regular Session, re-defining the boundaries of the San Saba Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Abney.	Dunn.
Amsler.	Durham.
Atkinson.	Edwards.
Avis.	Faubion.
Barrett.	Fields.
Beasley.	Finlay.
Bell.	Gipson.
Bird.	Green.
Bobbitt.	Greer.
Bonham.	Hardin of Erath.
Bryant.	Hardin
Cable.	of Kaufman.
Carpenter	Harrington.
of Matagorda.	Henderson
Carson.	of Marion.
Carter of Coke.	Henderson
Coffee.	of McLennan.
Covey.	Houston.
Cowen.	Howeth.
Crawford.	Hughes.
Davenport.	Irwin.
DeBerry.	Jennings.
Dielmann.	Kemble.
Dodd.	Lackey.
Downs.	Laird.
Driggers.	Lamb.
Duffey.	LeMaster.
Dunlap.	Looney.

McBride.	Russell
McDaniel.	of Callahan.
McDonald.	Russell of Trinity.
McFarlane.	Sackett.
McKean.	Sanford.
McNatt.	Satterwhite.
Martin.	Shearer.
Mathes.	Shires.
Maxwell.	Simpson.
Melson.	Sparkman.
Merriman.	Stewart
Merritt.	of Edwards.
Montgomery.	Stewart of Jasper.
Morgan	Stewart of Reeves.
of Liberty.	Storey.
Morgan	Sweet.
of Robertson.	Teer.
Pate.	Thompson.
Patman.	Thrasher.
Patterson.	Turner.
Perdue.	Vaughan.
Pool.	Wallace.
Pope.	Westbrook.
Purl.	Wessels.
Robinson.	Wilson.
Rogers.	Winfree.
Rountree.	Young.
Rowland.	

Nays—5.

Arnold.	Hull.
Baker of Milam.	Wells.
Baker of Orange.	

Absent.

Barker.	Lewis.
Blount.	Loftin.
Brady.	Miller.
Burmeister.	Moore.
Carter of Hays.	Pinkston.
Collins.	Potter.
Culp.	Price.
Davis.	Quaid.
Fugler.	Quinn.
Harris.	Rice.
Hendricks.	Smith.
Jacks.	Stevens.
Johnson.	Stroder.
Jones.	Williamson.
Lane.	Wilmons.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 610 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 610, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter

3, Local and Special Laws, Third Called Session, Thirty-sixth Legislature, amending and revising the metes and bounds of the Moran Independent School District in Shackelford and Callahan counties, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109.

Abney.	Lackey.
Amsler.	Laird.
Arnold.	Lamb.
Atkinson.	LeMaster.
Avis.	Lewis.
Baker of Milam.	Looney.
Baker of Orange.	McBride.
Barrett.	McDaniel.
Beasley.	McDonald.
Bell.	McFarlane.
Bird.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Bonham.	Martin.
Brady.	Mathes.
Bryant.	Maxwell.
Burmeister.	Melson.
Cable.	Merriman.
Carson.	Merritt.
Carpenter	Montgomery.
of Matagorda.	Morgan
Carter of Coke.	of Liberty.
Coffee.	Morgan
Covey.	of Robertson.
Cowen.	Pate.
Crawford.	Patman.
Davenport.	Patterson.
Dielmann.	Perdue.
Dodd.	Pool.
Downs.	Pope.
Duffey.	Potter.
Dunlap.	Purl.
Dunn.	Robinson.
Durham.	Rountree.
Edwards.	Rowland.
Faubion.	Russell
Fields.	of Callahan.
Finlay.	Russell of Trinity.
Gipson.	Sackett.
Green.	Sanford.
Greer.	Shearer.
Hardin of Erath.	Shires.
Hardin	Simpson.
of Kaufman.	Sparkman.
Harrington.	Stevens.
Harris.	Stewart
Henderson	of Edwards.
of Marion.	Stewart of Jasper.
Henderson	Stewart of Reeves.
of McLennan.	Storey.
Hendricks.	Teer.
Houston.	Thompson.
Hughes.	Thrasher.
Hull.	Turner.
Irwin.	Vaughan.
Jennings.	Wallace.
Kemble.	Wells.

Westbrook.
Wessels.
Wilson.

Winfree.
Young.

Nays—1.

Satterwhite.

Present—Not Voting.

Driggers.

Absent.

Barker.	Miller.
Blount.	Moore.
Carter of Hays.	Pinkston.
Collins.	Price.
Culp.	Quaid.
Davis.	Quinn.
DeBerry.	Rice.
Fugler.	Rogers.
Howeth.	Smith.
Jacks.	Stroder.
Johnson.	Sweet.
Jones.	Williamson.
Lane.	Wilmans.
Loftin.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 620 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 620, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating Pontotoc Common County Line School District No. 31 of Mason, San Saba and Llano counties, and placing the same under the management and control of Llano county; defining the powers of said district; providing for election of the first board of trustees of said district; providing for an election to determine whether or not a special school tax for maintenance purposes shall be levied upon the property contained in said district, and to determine whether the several outstanding obligations which may exist against the several territories and the portion of territory of other districts embraced in this district shall be assumed in whole or in part by the property of this district to provide for such indebtedness and pro rata thereof; making alternate provision for the protection of all such indebtedness; abolishing existing school districts wholly included within its boundaries, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—108.

Abney.	LeMaster.
Amsler.	Looney.
Arnold.	McBride.
Avis.	McDaniel.
Baker of Milam.	McFarlane.
Baker of Orange.	McKean.
Barker.	McNatt.
Barrett.	Martin.
Beasley.	Mathes.
Bell.	Maxwell.
Bird.	Melson.
Bobbitt.	Merriman.
Bonham.	Merritt.
Brady.	Montgomery.
Bryant.	Morgan
Cable.	of Liberty.
Carson.	Morgan
Carter of Coke.	of Robertson.
Coffee.	Pate.
Covey.	Patman.
Cowen.	Patterson.
Crawford.	Perdue.
Davenport.	Pool.
DeBerry.	Potter.
Dielmann.	Purl.
Dodd.	Quinn.
Downs.	Robinson.
Driggers.	Rogers.
Duffey.	Rountree.
Dunlap.	Rowland.
Dunn.	Russell
Edwards.	of Callahan.
Faubion.	Russell of Trinity.
Fields.	Sackett.
Gipson.	Sanford.
Green.	Satterwhite.
Greer.	Shearer.
Hardin of Erath.	Shires.
Hardin	Simpson.
of Kaufman.	Sparkman.
Harrington.	Stewart of Jasper.
Henderson	Stewart of Reeves.
of Marion.	Stroder.
Henderson	Sweet.
of McLennan.	Teer.
Hendricks.	Thompson.
Houston.	Thrasher.
Howeth.	Turner.
Hull.	Vaughan.
Irwin.	Wallace.
Jacks.	Wells.
Jennings.	Westbrook.
Johnson.	Wessels.
Lackey.	Wilson.
Laird.	Winfree.
Lamb.	Young.
Lane.	

Nays—1.

Finlay.

Absent.

Atkinson.

Blount.

Burmeister.	McDonald.
Carpenter	Miller.
of Matagorda.	Moore.
Carter of Hays.	Pinkston.
Collins.	Pope.
Culp.	Price.
Davis.	Quaid.
Durham.	Rice.
Fugler.	Smith.
Harris.	Stevens.
Hughes.	Stewart
Jones.	of Edwards.
Kemble.	Storey.
Lewis.	Williamson.
Loftin.	Wilmons.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 622 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 622, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Spicewood Independent School District in Burnet county, Texas, including the present Spicewood District No. 21, of said county; providing a board of trustees therefor, vesting said independent school district and board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the present Spicewood District No. 21 shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected in accordance with the general laws of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

On motion of Mr. Faubion, the bill was laid on the table subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 407 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 407, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for an official shorthand reporter for the County Court at Law No. 2, and County Court at Law of Harris county, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 530 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 530, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 167 of the Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, 1917, relative to the appointment of an assistant district attorney; prescribing the mode of appointment of assistant district attorneys in districts containing two or more counties, and in which district there is situated a city of twenty-eight thousand population or more according to the last United States census; prescribing the qualification of such assistant district attorney; defining his duties; providing the method of his removal from office; fixing his salary and prescribing the mode of its payment, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 547 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 547, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Bayside Colony Independent School District, in Refugio and San Patricio counties, Texas, including the present Bayside Colony Common School District No. 7 of said counties; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district and board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the present Bayside Colony Common School District No. 7 shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected as provided herein; providing for the assumption of any outstanding indebtedness created by the Bayside Colony Common School District No. 7, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 588 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 588, A bill to be entitled

"An Act amending Sections 1 and 5 of Chapter 31 of the Local and Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirty-sixth Legislature at its Second Called Session, entitled 'An Act amending and revising the metes and bounds of the Raymondville Independent School District (formerly in Cameron county but now in Willacy county);' providing that all jurisdiction shall attach to officers of Willacy county instead of Cameron county."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Mr. Finlay moved to reconsider the vote by which House bill No. 588 was passed to engrossment.

Yeas and nays were demanded and the motion to reconsider was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—25.

Atkinson.	Irwin.
Baker of Milam.	Laird.
Cable.	Lewis.
Culp.	Looney.
Dodd.	McDaniel.
Downs.	Rowland.
Dunn.	Sanford.
Finlay.	Shearer.
Greer.	Stewart of Jasper.
Hardin of Erath.	Stroder.
Harrington.	Thompson.
Hughes.	Wessels.

Nays—61.

Amsler.	Howeth.
Arnold.	Johnson.
Avis.	Jones.
Barker.	Kemble.
Barrett.	Lamb.
Beasley.	Lane.
Bell.	LeMaster.
Bird.	Loftin.
Bobbitt.	McBride.
Bryant.	McDonald.
Burmeister.	McFarlane.
Carpenter	McKean.
of Matagorda.	McNatt.
Carson.	Mathes.
Carter of Coke.	Maxwell.
Coffee.	Melson.
Crawford.	Merriman.
DeBerry.	Montgomery.
Driggers.	Morgan
Duffey.	of Liberty.
Dunlap.	Morgan
Edwards.	of Robertson.
Faubion.	Pate.
Fields.	Patterson.
Hardin	Perdue.
of Kaufman.	Potter.
Henderson	Quaid.
of Marion.	Quinn.

Robinson.	Storey.
Rogers.	Sweet.
Russell of Trinity.	Teer.
Sackett.	Turner.
Sparkman.	Wells.
Stewart	Westbrook.
of Edwards.	Wilson.
Stewart of Reeves.	Winfree.

Present—Not Voting.

Abney.	Patman.
Bonham.	Purl.
Covey.	Rountree.
Dielmann.	Russell
Green.	of Callahan.
Henderson	Stevens.
of McLennan.	Vaughan.
Jennings.	Wallace.
Lackey.	Young.
Martin;	

Absent.

Baker of Orange.	Merritt.
Blount.	Miller.
Brady.	Moore.
Carter of Hays.	Pinkston.
Collins.	Pool.
Cowen.	Pope.
Davenport.	Price.
Davis.	Rice.
Durham.	Satterwhite.
Fugler.	Shires.
Gipson.	Simpson.
Harris.	Smith.
Hendricks.	Thrasher.
Houston.	Williamson.
Hull.	Wilmons.
Jacks.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 134 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS.

Mr. Rountree called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 7383 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1911, relating to the occupation taxes based upon gross receipts of individuals, companies, corporations and associations engaged in the business of producing oil from oil wells in the State, as amended by Chapter 77 of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth Legislature of the

State of Texas at its Regular Session; repealing Article 7383a as enacted by the Thirty-sixth Legislature, so that hereafter said Article 7383 shall read as herein provided, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and the Senate amendments were read.

Mr. Rountree moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments and that a free conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two houses on the bill.

Mr. Burmeister moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Jones, further consideration of the Senate amendments to House bill No. 134 was postponed until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

RELATING TO VETO OF BILL NO. 110.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, the following was ordered printed in the Journal:

Statement by the Authors of House Bill No. 110.

This bill met the Governor's disapproval and the authors of the bill believe it should be passed over his veto.

It involves a question of public policy.

Who is the proper judge of questions of public policy? One man, the Governor, or the Legislature of Texas consisting of 181 men?

This bill does not change the Texas law, and only imposes upon foreign companies doing business in Texas such burdens as the State of their domicile imposes upon the Texas companies doing business in such other State, as are in excess of the burdens imposed by the laws of Texas upon such insurance companies of other States.

Texas companies in other States have encountered many difficulties because Texas had no retaliatory law. Forty-two other States have laws similar to this bill. Shall Texas companies in other States suffer because the Commissioner of Insurance told the Governor that there is no need for the law?

This is the question of public policy and the Legislature should decide it without fear or favor. The authors of the bill requested a hearing before the Governor before he vetoed the bill.

This was denied.

We have no desire to become involved in any dispute with anyone who may not share our views. We impugn the

motive of no one, but believing in the right of the Legislature to determine the questions of public policy, we appeal to the Legislature to pass this bill over the Governor's veto.

Respectfully,

QUINN,
MERRIMAN,
MORGAN of Liberty,
BAKER of Orange.

Authors.

HOUSE BILL NO. 616 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 616, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Union Hill Independent School District in Swisher county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the election of its first board of trustees and their successors; providing for the appointment of a board of equalization, and tax assessor and collector for said district, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 617 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 617, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 35, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, being an act to amend House bill No. 23, Chapter 7, page 16, Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, being an act relating to the protection of wild birds and wild fowl in the counties of Dimmit, Uvalde, Medina, Zavala, Gillespie, Blanco, Llano, Kimble, Kerr, Real, Mason, Edwards, Menard, Sutton, Crockett, Bandera, Comal, Hays, Frio, Maverick, Kinney, Val Verde, Terrell, Brewster, Presidio, Jeff Davis, Schleicher, Tom Green, Sterling and Irion, and changing the time of open season on such wild birds and fowl and providing penalties for the unlawful taking and killing of said wild birds and fowl, and exempting said counties

above mentioned from Section 5 of Chapter 157 of the General Laws, Thirty-sixth Legislature, passed at its Regular Session, same being House bill No. 457, Chapter 157 thereof, and declaring an emergency, so as to include the county of Gillespie and exclude the county of Kendall therefrom and to place Gillespie county under the provisions of House bill No. 131, Chapter 35, Acts of Second Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, and to place Kendall county under the general law."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 617 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Johnson, by unanimous consent, moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 617 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—106.

Abney.	Fields.
Amsler.	Gipson.
Arnold.	Greer.
Atkinson.	Hardin of Erath.
Avis.	Hardin
Baker of Milam.	of Kaufman.
Barker.	Harrington.
Barrett.	Henderson
Beasley.	of Marion.
Bell.	Henderson
Bird.	of McLennan.
Bobbitt.	Houston.
Bonham.	Howeth.
Bryant.	Hughes.
Burmeister.	Irwin.
Cable.	Jennings.
Carpenter	Johnson.
of Matagorda.	Jones.
Carter of Coke.	Lackey.
Collins.	Laird.
Covey.	Lamb.
Cowen.	Lane.
Crawford.	LeMaster.
Culp.	Loftin.
Davenport.	Looney.
DeBerry.	McBride.
Dielmann.	McDaniel.
Dodd.	McFarlane.
Downs.	McKean.
Driggers.	McNatt.
Duffey.	Martin.
Dunlap.	Maxwell.
Dunn.	Melson.
Durham.	Merriman.
Edwards.	Montgomery.

Moore.	Shires.
Morgan	Simpson.
of Liberty.	Sparkman.
Morgan	Stewart
of Robertson.	of Edwards.
Pate.	Stewart of Jasper.
Patterson.	Stewart of Reeves.
Perdue.	Storey.
Pope.	Stroder.
Potter.	Sweet.
Purl.	Teer.
Quaid.	Thompson.
Quinn.	Thrasher.
Robinson.	Vaughan.
Rogers.	Wallace.
Rowland.	Wells.
Russell	Westbrook.
of Callahan.	Wessels.
Russell of Trinity.	Williamson.
Sackett.	Wilson.
Sanford.	Winfree.
Shearer.	Young.

Absent.

Baker of Orange.	Lewis.
Blount.	McDonald.
Brady.	Mathes.
Carson.	Merritt.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Coffee.	Patman.
Davis.	Pinkston.
Faubion.	Pool.
Finlay.	Price.
Fugler.	Rice.
Green.	Rountree.
Harris.	Satterwhite.
Hendricks.	Smith.
Hull.	Stevens.
Jacks.	Turner.
Kemble.	Wilmans.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 617 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—104.

Abney.	Bobbitt.
Amsler.	Bryant.
Arnold.	Burmeister.
Atkinson.	Cable.
Baker of Milam.	Carpenter
Barker.	of Matagorda.
Barrett.	Carson.
Beasley.	Collins.
Bell.	Covey.

Cowen.	Montgomery.
Crawford.	Moore.
Culp.	Morgan
Davenport.	of Liberty.
DeBerry.	Morgan
Dielmann.	of Robertson.
Dodd.	Pate.
Downs.	Patman.
Driggers.	Patterson.
Duffey.	Perdue.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Dunn.	Potter.
Durham.	Purl.
Edwards.	Quaid.
Fields.	Quinn.
Gipson.	Robinson.
Greer.	Rogers.
Hardin of Erath.	Rowland.
Hardin	Russell
of Kaufman.	of Callahan.
Harrington.	Russell of Trinity.
Henderson	Sackett.
of McLennan.	Sanford.
Houston.	Satterwhite.
Howeth.	Shearer.
Hughes.	Shires.
Irwin.	Simpson.
Jennings.	Sparkman.
Johnson.	Stewart of Jasper.
Jones.	Stewart of Reeves.
Kemble.	Storey.
Laird.	Stroder.
Lamb.	Sweet.
Lane.	Teer.
Lewis.	Thompson.
Loftin.	Thrasher.
Looney.	Vaughan.
McBride.	Wallace.
McDaniel.	Wells.
McFarlane.	Westbrook.
McKean.	Wessels.
McNatt.	Williamson.
Martin.	Wilson.
Maxwell.	Winfree.
Melson.	Young.
Merriman.	

Present—Not Voting.

Bird.	Stewart
Stevens.	of Edwards.

Absent.

Avis.	Harris.
Baker of Orange.	Henderson
Blount.	of Marion.
Bonham.	Hendricks.
Brady.	Hull.
Carter of Hays.	Jacks.
Carter of Coke.	Lackey.
Coffee.	LeMaster.
Davis.	McDonald.
Faubion.	Mathes.
Finlay.	Merritt.
Fugler.	Miller.
Green.	Pinkston.

Pool.	Smith.
Price.	Turner.
Rice.	Wilmans.
Rountree.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeStourgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

Mr. Wessels moved that the House adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. The motion was lost.

HOUSE BILL NO. 631 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 631, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the killing of deer in the counties of Culberson, Hudspeth and El Paso; defining offenses and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 632 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 632, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the killing of deer in the counties of Reeves, Pecos, Jeff Davis; defining offenses and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 634 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 634, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the killing of deer in the counties of Terrell, Val Verde and Kinney; defining offenses and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed in the presence of the House, after giving due notice there-

of and its caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

H. B. No. 468, "An Act creating the Ninety-second Judicial District of Texas, and fixing its boundaries, and providing for two district courts in said district, one in Stephens county and the other in Young county; defining and declaring the jurisdiction of said courts, respectively, and prescribing the duration of said courts; fixing terms of said courts; providing for a district judge of said district, and that in Young county the district attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District shall act as district attorney of said new district; providing for a clerk of each such new court, and for compensation of such district attorney and of such clerks; providing for return to such new courts of process, writs and bonds, and for transfer and re-transfer of causes and actions, motions and matters to and from the dockets of such new courts respectively; validating certain outstanding process and writs; detaching and removing Stephens county from the Forty-second Judicial District of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

HOUSE BILL NO. 635 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 635, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the killing of deer in the counties of Uvalde, Medina, Zavala and Dimmit; defining offenses and prescribing for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 637 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 637, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 85 of the Local and Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Second Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, being 'An Act creating a more efficient road system for Wichita county, Texas, and making the county commissioners of said county ex-officio road commissioners and prescribing their duties as such; providing for the compensation of such road commissioners, and defining the powers and duties of

such county commissioners; providing for the maintenance of such part or parts of national and State highways as are in Wichita county; providing for the construction and maintenance of such highways through the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns in said district; providing for the employment of a county road superintendent and defining the duties of such road superintendent; providing when the commissioners court of said county shall order an election for the issuance of bonds for the improvement of public roads, such bonds must be designated in said order; providing for the maintenance of roads constructed with the proceeds of the sale of said bonds; providing for the compensation of county treasurer for handling funds arising from said land sales; providing the character of construction to be used for such roads; providing for eminent domain, making it optional for Wichita county to proceed to condemn land under railroad condemnation statute or to act under general law relative to opening public roads by jury of view; providing for the employment of convicts on county roads; authorizing the commissioners court to order railway companies to ditch or drain along their rights of way in such manner as to prevent injury to the public highways; providing for liability to the county for damages resulting from hauling heavy loads on such highways; providing penalties for the obstruction or diversion of the flow of rainfall in such manner as to cause damage to the highways of said county; providing for the issuance of bonds in such manner as is provided by the general laws of the State of Texas; defining the meaning of the words "road" and "highway"; authorizing the investment of sinking funds of said county in bonds authorized by law; prohibiting county officials of Wichita county from becoming financially interested in contracts of said county, and prescribing penalties therefor; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing that provisions of this act are cumulative of the general laws of the State of Texas when not in conflict therewith; providing for the repeal of Chapter 29 of the General Laws of Texas, approved March 22, 1918, insofar as the same affects Wichita county, and declaring an emergency, this amendment being for the purpose of providing that the road taxes, general

and special, for Wichita county, and the gross registration, chauffeur and transfer fees collected on motor vehicles and the like as now or hereafter provided by law, and paid into the county depository of Wichita county to the credit of its special highways fund, shall be distributed among the four commissioners precincts in accordance with the residence or business address of such registrant or owner, and to be expended only upon the public roads or system within such commissioners precinct except with the consent of the commissioner from whose precinct said funds are to be transferred; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 637 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Gipson, by unanimous consent, moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 637 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Abney.	Gipson.
Amsler.	Greer.
Arnold.	Hardin
Atkinson.	of Kaufman.
Baker of Milam.	Harrington.
Barker.	Henderson
Barrett.	of Marion.
Beasley.	Henderson
Bell.	of McLennan.
Bird.	Houston.
Bobbitt.	Howeth.
Bonham.	Hughes.
Bryant.	Hull.
Burmeister.	Irwin.
Cable.	Jennings.
Collins.	Jones.
Covey.	Kemble.
Cowen.	Lackey.
Crawford.	Laird.
Culp.	Lamb.
DeBerry.	Lane.
Dielmann.	LeMaster.
Dodd.	Lewis.
Downs.	Looney.
Driggers.	McBride.
Duffey.	McDaniel.
Dunlap.	McDonald.
Dunn.	McFarlane.
Durham.	McKean.
Edwards.	McNatt.
Fields.	Martin.

Mathes.	Russell of Trinity.
Maxwell.	Sackett.
Melson.	Sanford.
Merriman.	Shearer.
Montgomery.	Shires.
Moore.	Sparkman.
Morgan	Stewart
of Liberty.	of Edwards.
Morgan	Stewart of Jasper.
of Robertson.	Stewart of Reeves.
Pate.	Storey.
Patman.	Stroder.
Patterson.	Sweet.
Perdue.	Teer.
Pope.	Thompson.
Potter.	Thrasher.
Purl.	Vaughan.
Quaid.	Wallace.
Quinn.	Wells.
Robinson.	Wessels.
Rogers.	Williamson.
Rowland.	Wilson.
Russell	Young.
of Callahan.	

Absent.

Avis.	Jacks.
Baker of Orange.	Johnson.
Blount.	Loftin.
Brady.	Merritt.
Carpenter	Miller.
of Dallas.	Pinkston.
Carson.	Pool.
Carter of Coke.	Price.
Carter of Hays.	Rice.
Coffee.	Rountree.
Davenport.	Satterwhite.
Davis.	Simpson.
Faubion.	Smith.
Finlay.	Stevens.
Fugler.	Turner.
Green.	Westbrook.
Hardin of Erath.	Wilmons.
Harris.	Winfree.
Hendricks.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Matagorda.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 637 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107.

Abney.	Baker of Milam.
Amsler.	Baker of Orange.
Arnold.	Barker.
Atkinson.	Barrett.

Beasley.	McDonald.
Bell.	McFarlane.
Bird.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Bonham.	Martin.
Brady.	Mathes.
Bryant.	Maxwell.
Burmeister.	Montgomery.
Cable.	Moore.
Coffee.	Morgan
Collins.	of Liberty.
Covey.	Morgan
Cowen.	of Robertson.
Crawford.	Pate.
Culp.	Patman.
Davenport.	Patterson.
DeBerry.	Perdue.
Dielmann.	Pope.
Dodd.	Potter.
Downs.	Purl.
Driggers.	Quaid.
Duffey.	Quinn.
Dunlap.	Robinson.
Dunn.	Rogers.
Durham.	Rowland.
Edwards.	Russell
Fields.	of Callahan.
Gipson.	Russell of Trinity.
Green.	Sackett.
Hardin of Erath.	Sanford.
Harrington.	Shearer.
Henderson	Shires.
of Marion.	Simpson.
Henderson	Sparkman.
of McLennan.	Stevens.
Houston.	Stewart
Howeth.	of Edwards.
Hughes.	Stewart of Jasper.
Hull.	Stewart of Reeves.
Irwin.	Storey.
Jennings.	Stroder.
Johnson.	Sweet.
Jones.	Teer.
Lackey.	Thompson.
Laird.	Thrasher.
Lamb.	Vaughan.
Lane.	Wallace.
LeMaster.	Wells.
Lewis.	Wessels.
Looney.	Williamson.
McBride.	Wilson.
McDaniel.	Young.

Absent.

Avis.	Hardin
Blount.	of Kaufman.
Carpenter	Harris.
of Matagorda.	Hendricks.
Carson.	Jacks.
Carter of Coke.	Kemble.
Carter of Hays.	Loftin.
Davis.	Melson.
Faubion.	Merriman.
Finlay.	Merritt.
Fugler.	Miller.
Greer.	Pinkston.

Pool.	Smith.
Price.	Turner.
Rice.	Westbrook.
Rountree.	Wilmans.
Satterwhite.	Winfree.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 644 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 644, A bill to be entitled "An Act correcting the boundaries of the present Hale Center Independent School District; providing for payment of bonds issued by the present district, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 649 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 649, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2 of Senate bill No. 25, Chapter 1 of the Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature in 1921, and providing for that portion of the land hereby segregated from the Bowie Independent School District to bear its proportionate part of any bonded indebtedness now chargeable against that portion of the district hereby segregated and adding Section 2a and Section 2b."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 651 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 651, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Denson Independent School District in Williamson county, Texas, including the present Denson School District of said county, providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district

and board of trustees with all the rights and powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the present Denson School District shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected and qualified in accordance with the general laws of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 652 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 652, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Knox City Independent School District in Knox county, Texas, including the present Knox City district of said county; providing for a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district and board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing that the board of trustees of the present Knox City district shall continue to act as such until their successors are elected in accordance with the general laws of Texas; providing for the extension of the boundaries of said district, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 660 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 660, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and incorporating Lakeview Independent School District in Dawson county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Lakeview Common School District No. 25; defining the boundaries thereof; providing for a board of trustees, their election, terms of office, qualification, powers, duties and authority; authorizing the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes, and to issue bonds; providing for an assessor and collector of taxes and a board of equalization; providing that

said Lakeview Independent School District shall assume and discharge any and all bonds and other indebtedness constituting valid and binding obligations of said Lakeview Common School District No. 25 of Dawson county; validating and continuing in force any and all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in such common school district; providing that title to any and all property of said common school district shall vest in the trustees of independent school district hereby created; providing for filling vacancies on the board of trustees; providing for a seal for said district; providing that the board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws of Texas in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that invalidation by the courts of any section or provision of this act shall not invalidate any remaining provisions hereof, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 666 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 666, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 18, Special Laws, Thirty-seventh Legislature, First Called Session, incorporating the Fruitvale Independent School District in Van Zandt county, Texas; providing for the maintenance of elementary schools in said district, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 666 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Pate moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 666 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Abney.	Barrett.
Amsler.	Beasley.
Arnold.	Bell.
Atkinson.	Bird.
Baker of Milam.	Bobbitt.
Baker of Orange.	Bonham.
Barker.	Brady.

Bryant.
Burmeister.
Cable.
Coffee.
Collins.
Covey.
Cowen.
Crawford.
Davenport.
DeBerry.
Dielmann.
Dodd.
Downs.
Driggers.
Duffey.
Dunlap.
Dunn.
Durham.
Edwards.
Fields.
Gipson.
Hardin of Erath.
Hardin
of Kaufman.
Harrington.
Henderson
of Marion.
Henderson
of McLennan.
Houston.
Howeth.
Hughes.
Hull.
Irwin.
Jennings.
Jones.
Kemble.
Lackey.
Laird.
Lamb.
Lane.
LeMaster.
Lewis.
Looney.
McBride.
McDaniel.
McDonald.
McFarlane.

McKean.
McNatt.
Martin.
Mathes.
Maxwell.
Melson.
Montgomery.
Moore.
Morgan
of Liberty.
Morgan
of Robertson.
Pate.
Patman.
Patterson.
Perdue.
Pope.
Potter.
Purl.
Quaid.
Robinson.
Rogers.
Rowland.
Russell
of Callahan.
Russell of Trinity.
Sackett.
Sanford.
Shearer.
Shires.
Simpson.
Sparkman.
Stewart
of Edwards.
Stewart of Jasper.
Stewart of Reeves.
Storey.
Stroder.
Sweet.
Teer.
Thompson.
Thrasher.
Vaughan.
Wallace.
Wells.
Williamson.
Wilson.
Young.

Absent.

Avis.	Jacks.
Blount.	Johnson.
Carpenter of Matagorda.	Loftin.
Carson.	Merriman.
Carter of Coke.	Merritt.
Carter of Hays.	Miller.
Culp.	Pinkston.
Davis.	Pool.
Faubion.	Price.
Finlay.	Quinn.
Fugler.	Rice.
Green.	Rountree.
Greer.	Satterwhite.
Harris.	Smith.
Hendricks.	Stevens.
	Turner.

Westbrook.
Wessels.

Wilmans.
Winfree.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.
Carpenter
of Dallas.
Chitwood.
Dinkle.
Frnka.

LeSturgeon.
Lusk.
Stell.
Stiernberg.
Strickland.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 666 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—104.

Abney.
Amsler.
Arnold.
Atkinson.
Avis.
Baker of Milam.
Baker of Orange.
Barker.
Barrett.
Beasley.
Bell.
Bird.
Bobbitt.
Brady.
Bryant.
Burmeister.
Cable.
Coffee.
Collins.
Cowen.
Crawford.
Culp.
Davenport.
DeBerry.
Dielmann.
Dodd.
Downs.
Driggers.
Duffey.
Dunlap.
Dunn.
Durham.
Edwards.
Fields.
Gipson.
Greer.
Hardin of Erath.
Hardin
of Kaufman.
Harrington.
Henderson
of Marion.
Henderson
of McLennan.
Houston.
Howeth.
Hughes.

Hull.
Irwin.
Jennings.
Johnson.
Jones.
Kemble.
Lackey.
Laird.
Lamb.
LeMaster.
Lewis.
Looney.
McBride.
McDaniel.
McDonald.
McFarlane.
McKean.
McNatt.
Martin.
Mathes.
Maxwell.
Melson.
Montgomery.
Moore.
Morgan
of Liberty.
Morgan
of Robertson.
Pate.
Patman.
Patterson.
Perdue.
Pope.
Potter.
Purl.
Quaid.
Robinson.
Rogers.
Rowland.
Russell
of Callahan.
Russell of Trinity.
Sackett.
Sanford.
Shearer.
Shires.
Simpson.

Sparkman.
Stewart
of Edwards.
Stewart of Jasper.
Stewart of Reeves.
Storey.
Stroder.
Teer.
Thompson.

Thrasher.
Vaughan.
Wallace.
Wells.
Westbrook.
Williamson.
Wilson.
Young.

Absent.

Blount.
Bonham.
Carpenter
of Matagorda.
Carson.
Carter of Coke.
Carter of Hays.
Covey.
Davis.
Faubion.
Finlay.
Fugler.
Green.
Harris.
Hendricks.
Jacks.
Lane.
Loftin.

Merriman.
Merritt.
Miller.
Pinkston.
Pool.
Price.
Quinn.
Rice.
Rountree.
Satterwhite.
Smith.
Stevens.
Sweet.
Turner.
Wessels.
Wilmans.
Winfree.

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.
Carpenter
of Dallas.
Chitwood.
Dinkle.
Frnka.

LeSturgeon.
Lusk.
Stell.
Stiernberg.
Strickland.

HOUSE BILL NO. 375 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 375, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Carbon Independent School District in Eastland county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges, duties and liabilities now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts, and the board of trustees thereof; declaring that all taxes or bonds heretofore authorized by any former school district included within the bounds hereof shall remain in full force and effect, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 643 ON SECOND
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 643, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Brownsboro Independent School District in Henderson county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties and liabilities now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the board of trustees thereof; declaring that all taxes or bonds heretofore authorized by any former school district included within the bounds thereof shall remain in full force and effect, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. Quaid moved that the House adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Mr. Bell moved that the House recess until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Question recurring on the motion of Mr. Quaid, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—68.

Arnold.	Houston.
Avis.	Howeth.
Baker of Milam.	Hughes.
Baker of Orange.	Hull.
Beasley.	Irwin.
Bobbitt.	Jennings.
Bonham.	Jones.
Brady.	Kemble.
Burmeister.	Lamb.
Carson.	Lane.
Collins.	Looney.
Cowen.	McBride.
Culp.	McDonald.
Davenport.	McFarlane.
DeBerry.	McKean.
Dielmann.	McNatt.
Downs.	Montgomery.
Dunlap.	Moore.
Dunn.	Morgan
Durham.	of Liberty.
Fields.	Morgan
Gipson.	of Robertson.
Greer.	Patterson.
Hardin of Erath.	Potter.
Henderson	Purl.
of McLennan.	Quaid.

Quinn.	Stewart of Jasper.
Robinson.	Stroder.
Rogers.	Teer.
Russell	Thrasher.
of Callahan.	Vaughan.
Russell of Trinity.	Wells.
Sackett.	Williamson.
Shires.	Wilson.
Sparkman.	Young.
Stewart	
of Edwards.	

Nays—33.

Abney.	LeMaster.
Amsler.	McDaniel.
Atkinson.	Martin.
Barker.	Mathes.
Bell.	Maxwell.
Bryant.	Pate.
Cable.	Patman.
Crawford.	Perdue.
Dodd.	Rowland.
Duffey.	Sanford.
Hardin	Shearer.
of Kaufman.	Simpson.
Harrington.	Stewart of Reeves.
Henderson	Storey.
of Marion.	Sweet.
Johnson.	Thompson.
Lackey.	Westbrook.
Laird.	

Absent.

Barrett.	Loftin.
Bird.	Melson.
Blount.	Merriman.
Carpenter	Merritt.
of Matagorda.	Miller.
Carter of Coke.	Pinkston.
Carter of Hays.	Pool.
Coffee.	Pope.
Covey.	Price.
Davis.	Rice.
Driggers.	Rountree.
Edwards.	Satterwhite.
Faubion.	Smith.
Finlay.	Stevens.
Fugler.	Turner.
Green.	Wallace.
Harris.	Wessels.
Hendricks.	Wilmans.
Jacks.	Winfree.
Lewis.	

Absent—Excused.

Baldwin.	LeSturgeon.
Carpenter	Lusk.
of Dallas.	Stell.
Chitwood.	Stiernberg.
Dinkle.	Strickland.
Frnka.	

The House, accordingly, at 6:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

In Memory
of
Hon. I. A. Patton.

Mr. Howeth offered the following resolution:

Whereas, It has become known to this House that since the convening of the Thirty-eighth Legislature the Hon. I. A. Patton of Alvarado, Johnson county, has been called from his labors here to his reward in the beyond; and

Whereas, Mr. Patton was a member of the Thirtieth Legislature and served his State with distinction and was an educator whose work is enduring, and a representative of his people whose memory they will revere; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we extend to his family, the people of Johnson county, and Texas our appreciation of his service while he lived and sympathy to his loved ones on his departure.

Resolved, That when the House adjourns today it shall be out of respect to his memory, and that the Chief Clerk of the House furnish a copy of this resolution to his family, and a page of the Journal be set aside to his memory.

HOWETH,
ROUNTREE.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted by a rising vote.

In Memory
of
Hon. L. L. Shield.

Mr. Sackett offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Hon. L. L. Shield, late of Santa Anna, Texas, a member of the Twentieth Legislature, departed this life on February 7, 1923;

Whereas, As a public servant and a private citizen he rendered unto his State the services of an able and patriotic citizen; and in public and private life exemplified and displayed those traits of character that gave him a place among the chivalrous sons of the South, and whose outspoken individuality won for him the respect of all those who knew him; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the members of this House extend to his bereaved relatives and friends their most heartfelt sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That a page of the Journal of the House be set apart and dedicated to his memory and that an enrolled copy of this resolution be sent to the family of the deceased.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted by a rising vote.